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WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, Jan. 28th, 1905.

Editor Press:—

Hon. Champ Clark a member of Congress from Missouri, selected a more popular theme for his wit in the advocacy of higher pay for the school teachers of the District of Columbia than he frequently has the fortune to exploit. There are few men or women in the United States remembering their own school day who do not believe the teachers who drilled knowledge into their heads were entitled to higher pay than they got, and of that great army who have been school teachers not a dissenting voice to the teachers' right to higher pay could be found. Camp Clark himself belongs to this army and in language vivid if not Addisonian he described to the House of Representatives his experience and opinions. He informed Congress and the country that he was a teacher at fifteen and the President of a college at twenty three years of age. If Macauley were still alive he might add Champ Clarke to the list of his "warnings to the eminent and consolations to the obscure" with the explanation, Bryan and Bonaparte were scarcely in it with Mr. Clarke for they were twenty-four and twenty-five respectively when they had achieved fame while Mr. Clarke was president of a college at twenty-three. Inasmuch as Mr. Clarke was president only one year it may be presumed that the college saw in time the injustice it was doing the nation in keeping him out of politics. The school m'arms did not get the increase of salary demanded but they had saved money enough to buy bouquets for Mr. Clarke and his desk at the Capitol was covered with their tributes of appreciation.

President Roosevelt continues to make speeches and write letters to everybody and on every subject. It is almost marvelous that any man can talk and write so much and make so few breaks. A deputation of Episcopal bishops charged with anti-divorce thunder called on him yesterday and he told them in substance that he was with them in everything that tended to the promotion of family ties and home stabilities and large families. The President has been twice married and is the father of six children, so that doubtless he feels equipped to have a heart to heart talk with the nation on its martial affairs whenever the opportunity presents. The Washington clergyman who said that while he was an ardent admirer of the President he could wish that Roosevelt was not so bent on being the "Father of us all" is probably not surprised to find him expressing himself on the divorce problem. Having undertaken to adjust strikes, trusts, railroads, the tariff, the navy, the currency and the size of our families he probably regards divorce question as "dead easy" but as a Senator said: "The man who is competent to talk about divorce is the man who has procured a divorce or tried and failed, and a happily married man has no more right to dictate divorce laws than bachelors have to make rules for the care of babies." Whether this is logical or not is different to say but the Bishops regard the work of securing the President as an accomplice in virtue of the most important accomplishment in their conference here.

Two Farms for Sale.

The undersigned offers for sale two farms, adjoining each other, on Moore Hill, containing about 140 acres, 100 acres improved. Good houses, outbuildings and bearing orchards. For terms apply to D. A. SKINNER, Emporium, Pa. 46-tf.

An Open Letter to Our Friends in Shippen Township.

In all candor and good will, allow me to call your attention to the 34th verse of the 107th Psalm, in which King David says: "A fruitful land maketh He barren for the wickedness of them that dwell therein."

This does not mean that God has a spite against the people of a fruitful land but it means that when people become intemperate and throw away their manhood they will in a short time ruin the best town and the community, for no land can be or stay any better than the people who live there.

It is a credit to your Township to have so many citizens attend the primaries. It is also a credit to you to have every man feel that he has an equal right and chance to run for office but the drunkenness at your caucus last Saturday was a disgrace to any American community. You are all good hearted people and there was no quarreling nor fighting and very little bad language but the people from all over the county, who were attending the school directors institute as well as strangers from other parts of the state were surprised and sorry to witness the sad state of affairs, especially at a time when you were met to exercise the most sacred right of citizenship.

I trust you will find a way to remedy the matter and that it will never occur again.

Most sincerely yours,

JOSIAH HOWARD.

Margaret Mellin, Irene McFadden, Bessie Edwards, called at PRESS sanctum on Friday.

Harry English Dead.

Harry English, formerly noted for his physical strength and his ability in various lines, but who for about 15 years has been an invalid at the poor house near Smethport, died at that institution last Friday. English was formerly a blacksmith in Bradford. This was in the early lumbering days, before oil added life and gaiety to the town's affairs. The man was fond of adventure and took liberties, on frequent occasions, with the law. He is said to have forged checks and done other acts unbecoming to a law-abiding citizen. While a fugitive from justice in a neighboring county, he shot and killed a constable. But on the plea of self-defense he escaped the hangman's noose. He figured in various other stirring incidents, but failing health finally put an end to his escapades. Having no home or friends to turn to in his adversity, he sought an abiding place at Smethport in the county almhouse. Paralysis caused him to become quite helpless. He had to wheel himself about in an invalid's chair and for a long time patiently awaited the end of his career. He was a bright man mentally, but in order to deaden the pain from which he incessantly suffered he became a confined victim of the morphine habit. The doses of the drug which he took daily were large enough, it is said, to kill an ordinary man. But the vitality which remained in him, even after he had lost the use of his legs, was remarkable.

While the name of Harry English was a terror in McKean and adjoining counties 25 years ago, he nevertheless held the close friendship of many people who knew him personally. There were certain qualities about him that were not unattractive to the sturdy woodsmen who formerly lived in this vicinity.—Bradford Era, Jan'y 23.

A Good Day's Work.

The Cameron Lumber Co.'s crew, No. 1 did an unusually good day's work on Monday, Jan. 30th, loading 51 cars, on which were 711 logs, estimated containing 170,000 feet of lumber, in six hours and 59 minutes. The crew consisted of Conductor Yocum, Engineman McCracken, Trainman Sullivan, Fireman Dininny, John Montgomery loderman, Wm. Wykoff and Wm. Nunn, long hookers. Ed Brink did the scaling, while J. C. Skillman kept strict account of the time consumed. A box of fine Havana cigars were presented to the crew by Supt Probst. X

Bargain in Books.

A complete set of Brittanica Encyclopaedia, consisting of thirty volumes and key. Are all new and in original packages. Will be sold at a bargain, Apply at PRESS office. 36tf

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Emporium, Pa., August 1st, 1905. 21-tf.

School Directors' Convention.

The second annual convention of School Directors of Cameron county convened at Emporium, last Saturday, at eleven o'clock, a. m., Mr. L. K. Huntington presiding.

The roll call for first session showed the following present: Emporium—L. K. Huntington, William H. Howard, Bernard Egan, R. R. McQuay, A. F. Andrews, J. P. McNarney. Lumber—Eugene Devling. Shippen—Frederick Zimmer.

Session opened with a song by Emporium High School, followed by prayer by Rev. R. McCaslin, of First Presbyterian Church, Emporium.

The first subject for discussion, "Our Public Schools," was opened by Mayor William H. Howard.

After more singing by High Sbhool, "The Duty and Influence of School Directors" was discussed by Hon. I K. Hockley, after which the morning session adjourned until 1:15 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Piano solo, by Prof. A. D. Ericsson.

Roll call, the following Directors being in attendance:

Driftwood—Hon. John McDonald, Dr. V. K. Corbett, Patrick O'Connor, S. P. Kreider, J. O. Brookbank.

Emporium—L. K. Huntington, William H. Howard, Bernard Egan, R. R. McQuay, A. F. Andrews, J. P. McNarney.

Gibson—Byron J. Collins.

Grove—Frank L. Miller.

Lumber—Eugene Devling, S. S. Hicks.

Portage—Frederick Zimmer, Marcus Wright, Delbert Towner.

Prof. B. Griffith, of Lock Haven Normal School, discussed at some length, "To what extent should the course of study in the public schools prepare for College?".

Violin solo by Miss Grace Walker.

"Compulsory Education," was then discussed by Prof. Lose, Supt. of Williamsport, Pa. Solo by Prof. Griffith.

The election of officers for ensuing year being in order, Mr. L.K. Huntington was elected President and Mr. J.P. McNarney, Secretary.

On motion Hon. John McDonald of Driftwood, and W. H. Howard Emporium, were elected delegates to the Directors State Convention.

On motion, our Reprrsentative be requested to endeavor to have the law amended, providing compensation for attending convention.

On motion of Mr. W. H. Howard, it was resolved to appoint a committee to draft resolutions to be presented to the Legislature, asking for a change in method of distributing state appropriation. The Chair appointed Messrs. Howard, McDonald and McNarney.

Adjourned.

Borough and Ward Nominations.

BOROUGH.

The Republican delegates from the several wards met at City Hall Monday evening and placed the following excellent ticket in the field:

Constable and Collector, William Hackenberg; Poor Master, John W. Kriner; Auditor, A. P. VanGelder; High Constable, A. O. Swartwood.

The Democrats met the same evening and placed C. W. Shaffer in nomination for Constable and Collector, after which they endorsed the remainder of the Republican ticket.

WEST WARD.

Republican—Councilmen, Geo. J. LaBar, 3 yrs., C. L. Butler, 2 yrs.; School Director, R. R. McQuay.

Democraiic—M. T. Hogan and A. H. Shafer, Councilmen; Jos. J. Lingle, School Director.

MIDDLE WARD.

Republican—Counciiman, Wm. H. Cramer; Constable, Harry Hemphill.

Democratic—Counellman, Sylvester McDonough; Constable, Wm. Snyder.

EAST WARD.

Republican — Councilman, Allen Baldwin; School Director, L. K. Huntington; Constable, Chas. Fisher.

Democratic — Councilman, David Wheaton; School Director, John Glenn; Constable.

Bowling Match.

The Railroad and Furnace Bowling Teams pulled off another match game last Friday evening, with the following score:

	P. R R.			
Good,	170	157	208	535
D. Welsh,	158	148	133	139
Gallagher,	154	142	142	438
Hemphill,	199	168	191	558
McCarthy,	157	181	159	497
Jordan,	125	139	151	415
	963	935	984	2882
	FURNACE.			
Weiman,	131	136	142	409
White,	133	211	98	442
Overturf,	154	155	180	489
A. Brady,	146	201	157	504
Wright,	155	172	123	450
McDonough,	131	137	140	408
	850	1012	840	2702

Farmers.

Come to your Institutes to be held at Mitchell's Opera House, in Driftwood on Saturday, February 4th, and at the Court House in Emporium, Pa., on Monday and Tuesday, February 6th and 7th., and learn something about raising hogs for profit, feeding a dairy cow, culture of corn, how to cure clover, sunshine, silos, care of barnyards and manure, our animal friends, taxation and how it effects the farmer, soiling and soiling crops, principles of feeding, education for your boys and girls, importance of nature's studies in public schools, how best to keep the boys on the farm, fodder corn, poultry, commercial fertilizers, producing grass and making hay, your cow and how to make her profitable, how to renovate an impoverished farm, the smallest but most useful impliment, and hygiene of the home.

All these things will be told you at the Institutes at the time and place as shown on the program sent you, by people who know about them and have gained their knowledge by actual practice, hard work and disappointments on the farm. Who they are and what they have done, you can learn from the local papers published in the county last week.

Many other subjects will be talked over, and if there is any subject regarding the farm and farming you wish to konw about, come to these meetings and ask about them, and no doubt, some one will be present to give you information on the point.

Music will be furnished to rest you, as it were, between the acts. No one's brains can stand continual hammering and drinking, but must like the body, be rested every once in a while, so we are going to have music, and good music, between the talks.

We propose to give attendance prizes of a barrel of flour, half a barrel of flour, a ham and a pig, as usual at the Emporium meetings, and this year, we will do the same at the Driftwood meeting.

So all of you come, both great and small, and bring as many of your friends along, whether they are farmers or not. Don't think you know it all and cannot learn anything. Remember Nathaniel of old, and do as he did "come and see."

Yours truly,

W. H. HOWARD,
Chairman of County Institutes.

Emporium, Pa., Feb. 1st, 1905.

Electric Light Expense.

MR. EDITOR:—For some reason, unknown to anyone, but themselves, a few, by falsifying the facts, are trying to create the impression on the public mind that the tax payers of Emporium are paying $12,000 per year for the maintenance of our electric light plant. This erroneous idea so impressed the mind of the Independent that it, with others, lately expressed the hope that the Borough would contract with the Iron Company to furnish the light for $1,500.00 per year, consequently necessitating the shutting down of our Borough plant and allowing it to sink into rust and decay. Why they should so desire is certainly a mystery, when our electric light account shows that the Borough is keeping the plant in good repair and doing the work for much less money. Mr. C. J. Goodnough, Secretary of Council, who keeps the electric light accounts, informs me that the total construction and operating expense of the plant for the ten months ending Dec. 31st, 1904, is $1,218.92. Now, deduct from this amount $15.00 per month for ten months' income from three railroad lamps, $150.00, and $20 from other outside lighting, (making a total of $170) from the $1,218.92 leaves the total construction and operating expense for 37 arc lights for ten months of $1,048 92, or in other words costing the Borough $34 per arc light per year. It is certainly with pardonable pride and pleasure that we compare this expense per light with the cost of the same service in sixty cities, as published in the North Ameriban, of recent date, in which the lowest cost was $60 per light—the highest being $148 per light.

Very Resp'y,

C. G. CATLIN.

Emporium, Pa., Feb. 1, '05.

Judge Kaul's Funeral.

Hon. Andrew Kaul's funeral, an announcement of the death appearing in our last issue, took place at St. Marys last Saturday morning, it being the largest attended in the history of Elk county. Many of Cameron county people attended Judge Kaul being closely allied with the business and polital interests of this county.

Emmanuel Church.

Celebration of the Holy Communion next Sunday at half past ten o'clock.

Observer.

Sometimes we have to go out of town in order to learn what is going on at home. The things that we learn may be true, or they may not be. The Observer recently spent a day or two in one of our thriving neighbor towns, and while there was informed that a project is on foot to have our borough electric light plant transferred to a private management. The Observer expressed his surprise, and also the hope that should such a change take place the new management may be in a position to offer a good incandescent service to our householders. The Observer's informant assured him that provision for such a service would certainly be made.

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If the Observer's memory is not at fault, it was all carefully figured out to the citizens of Emporium in black and white, when it was first proposed to establish a municipal electric plant, that the borough would save money on its lighting, and also earn a tidy penny through the sale of incandescent service to private parties. For some reason this promise has not been fulfilled. The eggs from which it was hoped that many chickens would be hatched appear to have been stale. It is now four years since the municipal electric plant was installed, but to-day there is not a single incandescent light in the borough. Our streets are well lighted, it is true, by our fine equipment of arc lights, but the tax-payers know to their cost that the luxury is and expensive one.

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At a time when the trend throughout the country is strongly towards the municipal ownershlp of certain public utilities, it is humiliating to have our borough go on record as having made a financial failure of its electric plant. Professor Bemis of the University of Chicago, obtaining data from several hundred plants, public and private, and grouping them according to number of lamps, candle power, hours burned and cost of fuel, found that in every group the average cost of private plants was more than that in public, even allowing for interest, depreciation and loss of taxes.

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The mistake which the borough seems to have made was its failure to install a plant large enough to supply an incandescent service to private houses in addition to maintaining the street lights. Were the borough in a position to offer an incandescent service, or were any reliable private party to offer such a service, there would not be any dearth of customers. Several of our churches have been wired for electric lighting, one of them at a cost of four hundred dollars, as an earnest of their faith and hope that an incandescent service will one day be a reality. In point of cleanliness, healthfulness and convenience, electric lights are decidedly preferable to gas. Most people would surely be willing to pay a little more for the sake of the better service. Such a service we certainly ought to have, and it is a thousand pities that the borough plant has not been able to make good the promise that such a service should be offered. This failure has been hard upon those who would liketo have such a service, and also upon the borough treasury through the loss of an income which it might just as well be having. It seems to the Observer that the time is coming when the borough must either enlarge its plant, or else turn it over to a private management that will undertake to light the streets for a reasonable remuneration, and will ofier to house holders an efficient incandecent service.

Since writing the foregoing paragraphs, the Observer has learned that the annual net cost to the borough of maintaining its street lights is $34 per arc light. This represents a greater aggregate expense than the old system of gas torches, but when the vast superiority in light is considered, and when the cost per arc light is compared with the cost of electric light plants in other municipalities, we must conclude that we are getting our street lights at a very reasonable cost.

Hobo Sociable.

The Ladies of Emmanuel Parish are making elaborate preparations for the Hobo Sociable to take place at the Parish Building, Friday evening, Feb 10th. All of our citizens who desire an evening of genuine fun should not fail to attend. It is expected that some of the notorious Hobos of the county wil be in evidence and no doubt will capture the hand out offered for the best (?) dressed Hobo—lady or gent. The admission price will be 25c, which includes supper. Be sure you attend

WEATHER REPORT.

(Forecast by T. B. Lloyd.)

FRIDAY. Fair and colder.
SATURDAY Fair.
SUNDAY. Fair.

Farmers' Institute.

Program for the Farmers' Institute to be held in Mitchell's Opera House, at Driftwood, Saturday, Feb. 4th, 1905:

MORNING SESSION - 10:30.

Prayer, ... Rev. G. W. Faus
Address of Welcome ..... G. W. Huntley, Jr
Response ..... L. W. Lighty
"Fodder Corn, Silo and Silage," R. L. Beardslee
Question Box.
"Poultry; The Breed or the Feed," ..... T. E. Orr
General Discussion.
Adjourn.

AFTERNOON SESSION—1:30.

Question Box.
Music.
"Commercial Feftilizers," ..... Dr. I. A. Thayer
"The Five G's of Poultry Keeping." ..... T. E. Orr
Music, a song ..... Miss Frank Huntley
"Producing Grass and Making Hay."
R. L. Beardslee
"The Farmers' Cow; How to Make Her Profitable," ..... L. W. Lighty
General Discussion.
Music.
Adjourn.

EVENING SESSION—7:30.

Question Box.
Music.
"How to Renovate an Impoverished Farm,"
R. L. Beardslee
Music, song, ... Miss Frank Huntley
"The Smallest but most useful Implement,"
T. E. Orr
Music.
"Home Hygiene" ..... Dr. I. A. Thayer
Music.
Adjourn.

The music will be provided by Mrs. F. E. Richardson.

Program for the Farmers' Institute to be held at the Court House, in Emporium, Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 6th and 7th, 1905. Opening session

MONDAY AFTERNOON—1:30.

Prayer.
Address of Welcome.
Response ..... Dr. I. A. Thayer
"Hogs for Profit" ..... Hon. A. J. Kahler
Question Box.
"Feeding The Dairy Cow" ..... L. W. Lighty
General Discussion.
Adjourn.

EVENING SESSION—7:30.

Music.
Question Box.
"Corn Culture," ..... Hon. A. J. Kahler
Music.
"The Clovers as Food, and How to Cure,"
Dr. I. A. Thayer
Music.
"Sunshine," ..... L. W. Lighty
Music.
General Discussion.
Adjourn.

TUESDAY MORNING SESSION—10:00.

Prayer.
Question Box.
"Silo Experience and Practice," ..... L. W. Lighty
"Proper Care of Barnyard Manure,"
Hon. A. J. Kahler
"Our Animal Friends; A Nature Study,"
Dr. I. A. Thayer
General Discussion.
Adjourn.

AFTERNOON SESSION—1:30.

Question Box.
"Taxation and How it Affects the Farmer,"
Hon. A. J. Kahler
"Soiling and Soiling Crops," ..... L. W. Lighty
"The Principles of Stock Feeding"
Dr. I. A. Thayer
General Discussion.
Adjourn.

EVENING SESSION—7:30.

Question Box.
Music.
"Education for Our Boys and Girls; What and How," ..... L. W. Lighty
Music.
"Importance of Nature Studies in the Public Schools, and Plant Life; A Nature Study," ..... Dr. I. A. Thayer
Music.
"How Best to Keep the Boys on the Farm,"
Hon. A. J. Kahler
Music.
Adjourn.

The music will be provided by Miss Byrde Taggart.

The following it the musical program in charge of Miss Taggart:

MONDAY.

Vocal Solo ..... Miss Grace Lloyd
Piano Solo ..... Miss Floss Taggart
Violin Solo ..... Mazie Gallagher
Vocal Solo ..... Byrde Taggart

TUESDAY.

Piano Solo ..... Miss Floss Taggart
Violin Solo ..... Miss Walker
Vocal Solo ..... Miss Huntley

New Location.

Misses B. E. & E. L. Ludlam have enlarged and fitted up in fine style the store room one door north of Johnson & McNarney's office and moved their business to that stand, where they are now ready to wait on their customers with a fine line of ladies millinery and fancy goods. Call and see how nicely they are situated.

Hurteau & Forbes.

Hurteau & Forbes are now located in their new store room in LaBar's block, especially fitted for their line of business and it is certainly a beautiful, showy store. Their rapidly increasing trade demanded more room and now they have room to grow. They are hustlers and are rapidly adding to their already large stock of goods.

A Fraternal Visit.

Jos. E. Lynch, foreman of the News and his able assistant, G. A. Mohr, of Renovo, were pleasant callers at the PRESS office Saturday. The latter gentleman evidently has an attraction here as he never lets a Saturday night pass without coming to town.

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Another Mark Twain.

The Maidstone (England) board of guardians was recently astonished to receive a request for a pair of spectacles from "Mark Twain." The clerk explained that the writer of the letter was not the famous author of "The Innocents Abroad" and "Huckleberry Finn," but a pauper inmate of the workhouse. Probably no other person in the world bears the name adopted by Mr. Clemens from a Mississippi steamboat phrase.

Canned Fruit Desserts.

Canned fruits may be used for desserts in many ways. The juice in the can should be heavily sweetened and boiled down to a syrup. This makes the fruit richer. Common canned peaches heated in a thick syrup and served with cream are very good indeed. Canned raspberries make a delicious Bavarian cream or charlotte russe.—N. Y. Post.

Sweet Green Tomato Picallily.

Have ready one peck of green tomatoes; to which add six tablespoonfuls of mustard ground; a half pint of mustard seed, a tablespoonful each of cloves and cinnamon; one pound of brown sugar, three celery tops and three quarts of vinegar. Let all boil slowly for one hour. The tomatoes should be peeled and sliced. Boil all together.—Chicago Post.

Dogs with Coats of Mail.

An armored coat for dogs to serve as a protection against motor cars, has been invented by a New Yorker. The coat is studded with sharp steel points, like a steel hedgehog. If the armored dog is run into by a motor car the sharp points puncture the tire, and the consequent rush of released air blows the dog out of danger.

More Like His Father.

"You grow more like your father every day," sharply exclaimed the boy's mother over some misconduct of her six-year-old son.

For over a week the boy went every morning to the mirror to see if his nose was getting red.—N. Y. Times.

Simple.

In proceeding to explain the uses of an incubator a London school teacher asked her class: "In what other way could an egg be hatched than by putting it under a hen?" A bright pupil replied: "You might put it under a duck."

Spain's Output of Lead.

Spain produced 175,100 tons of lead in 1903, exceeding the output of all other countries except the United States. Mexico is the third largest producer, and Australia comes fourth in order.

Good Bacon Dish.

Bacon broiled in the oven is delicious and wholesome. Place the slices in the broiler as usual, and set in the oven over a dripping pan. Cook until browned under a moderate flame.—N. Y. Post.

England's Oldest Newspaper.

The only newspaper in England that can prove an unbroken publication for 184 years—the Northampton Mercury, which was founded in 1720, was sold the other day.

In the Blood.

Mrs. Maguire—'Tis Mary Ann O'Reilly thot's th' foine pianny-player intoirely!

Mrs. Clancy—Shure, an' no wondher! Isn't her Uncle Barney a pianny-mover?—Judge.

Many Trips.

Capt. Hugh Young, of the Anchor Line steamer Furnessia, plying between New York and Glasgow, recently completed his one thousandth trip across the Atlantic.

Literary Event in Georgia.

A literary dance will be the local literary event of the New Year. The town marshal will be on hand, and good order will be preserved.—Adams Enteprise.

The Blooming Bud.

Ma—How do you like Geraldine's coming out gown?

Pa—Well, I wish she wouldn't come out quite so far.—Cleveland Leader.

Food and Water.

Life can be sustained for about 30 days on water alone. With only solid food one could live but one-quarter of that time.

Still Lives.

The prize duellist of Paris, M. Rouzier-Dorcieres, has fought in 17 combats and arranged 118 for others.

NO NEED OF RECIPROCITY.

Canada Already a Good Customer Without Any Tariff Tinkering Over Here.

Canada is already so good a customer of ours that all talk about the need of reciprocity to hold or stimulate the demand for our products from our northern neighbors is really a waste of words, says the New York Sun.

We increased our exports to Canada from a value of $32,000,000 in 1873 to $131,000,000 in 1904, fiscal year, and when the statistics for the calendar year are made up they are likely to reach $150,000,000. That ic a pretty good showing, with tariff conditions as they are.

In 1873 the balance of trade was toward $5,000,000 in favor of Canada, but for the next six years it was steadily in our favor by from nearly $4,000,000 to more than $13,000,000 yearly.

The next year, 1880, it was against us by about $3,500,000, and in 1881 it was about even. In 1882 the amount against us rose to more than $14,000,000. In the following three years it averaged about $2,000,000 a year in our favor.

It was then that we unwisely tried reciprocity. What was the result? We went behind an average of nearly $3,000,000 a year for six years. Then we found out that the reciprocity was a better thing for Canada than for us. Our minds have remained the same ever since, and the conviction has been strengthened by the increase of our yearly exports to Canada from about $43,000,000 in 1892 to $131,000,000 in 1904, and of our trade balance from $8,000,000 to $75,000,000.

This growth has been in spite of efforts in the later years to turn the tide of Canadian imports in favor of Great Britain by tariff preferentials of from 12½ per cent. to the present British preferential of 33 1-3 per cent. Instead of hurting us, the tide has been still more strongly in favor of the United States.

The long and the short of the matter is that the Canadians jump over the imaginary boundary line between their dominion and the United States, and buy American goods because they prefer them and get quicker deliveries—in many cases of better qualities at lower prices. When it comes to buying goods, price, quality and delivery are more potent factors than sentimental allegiance.

Nor has Canada, considering her slow growth and the fact that her population is only one-sixteenth that of the United States, with a correspondingly limited power of production, any right to complain of the volume of her sales to us. Starting from 1873, the record of those sales increased from $37,000,000 to $52,000,000 in 1904.

On this side of the account Canada's best year was 1882, when her sales to us were $57,000,000 and the balance in her favor more than $14,000,000. At no time during the reciprocity years did she sell us over $42,000,000 a year, while since 1902 the amount has not gone below $48,000,000.

What Canada really needs is not reciprocity, but a political relation of a more intimate character with the American union.

CURRENT PRESS COMMENTS.

☞Editor Bryan is quoted as saying he does not think "our banks are safe." Still, Editor Bryan will not refuse a check on any bank of average soundness in payment of any subscription for his valuable paper.—Chicago Tribune.

☞Ohio democrats are arranging for a "thorough organization" of the party. This is presumably an entirely separate and distinct project from the various reorganization movements which have been rumored from time to time.—Indianapolis News (Ind.).

☞There may be good reasons for revising the tariff, but the condition of our foreign trade is not one of them. Five hundred million dollars' worth of exported manufactures for the current year beats all records.—Rochester Democrat-Chronicle.

☞Mr. Bryan says the newspapers should set higher ideals for themselves. He admits, however, that the Commoner's gentlemanly solicitors will at all times be glad to call upon people who wish to do legitimate advertising.—Chicago Record-Herald.

☞Without in the least belittling the importance of tariff revision, the president is evidently postponing it for a season in order that he may use all of his energies on a more serious problem. After railroad discrimination is cared for by means of an amendment to the interstate commerce act, there will be ample time to make any changes in customs duties that may be necessary for the protection of the public—Lincoln (Neb.) Journal.

☞Kansas, once the home of populism and the breeding place of political discontent and financial eccentricity, is in the heyday of prosperity. Its banks have more cash on hand than they know what to do with and the farmers have money by the bushel, the usufruct of the big crops. No wonder its new governor gets poetic and calls his state "the rich, juicy meat of the national sandwich." And no wonder, either, that, having recovered its full sense and sanity, it gives bigger republican majorities than ever before.—Troy Times.

☞Mr. Bryan forgets that democrats have been aiding the republicans, more or less ever since 1896.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

☞A poll of the republican members of congress shows 22 in favor of tariff revision, while 77 and Uncle Joe Cannon oppose it. Guess there won't be any revision at this session.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

☞Mr. Bryan's suggestion that the democrats support President Roosevelt's policies reminds us that, according to the returns of the last election, a good many of them were hardly in need of the tip.—Indianapolis News (Ind.).

DEMOCRACY AND RADICALISM

Party Leaders Still Trying to Explain Away Their Disastrous Defeat.

Some of the democratic leaders now ascribe the party's defeat last year to the platform. They assert that, instead of being conservative, the deliverance should have been radical. It was a mistake to bid against a party on its own grounds. The republican party had become too strongly intrenched as the party of conservatism to make success for a rival on that line possible. The democrats should have gone in boldly for new and advanced things and asked for support for untried policies, says the Washington Star.

What would these men offer as a radical platform? Take the tariff question. The St. Louis platform declared that protection was the robbery of the many for the benefit of the few. That should pass as rather a radical deliverance. How could it be made stronger unless coupled with a promise for immediate and unconditional free trade? And what party would make such a promise and then figure on success at the polls?

Take imperialism. Scuttle was practically the promise last year, and, while the Philippines were particularly referred to, that policy could not very well be entered upon as to one of our new possessions without being sooner or later extended to the others. Why withdraw from the Philippines and remain in Hawaii and Porto Rico? Why not return to the old boundaries everywhere? It would be difficult to go further on that subject than did the St. Louis platform in substance did.

Take the question of national expenditures. The St. Louis platform charged that we were spending too much money and should retrench. The thrust was understood to be at the navy. That was pretty radical when we consider our new obligations, and our greatly increased trade relations all over the world.

This list might be extended. Only on the money question was anything resembling conservatism shown, and even on that question the conservatism was simply negative. The difficulty with the democracy last year was not so much in its platform as in its record. And if these men who are now shouting for still more radical measures have their way the same difficulty will be confronted in 1908. The country will regard the party as simply a bidder for office; as constructing its platform merely as dazzlers, and as willing to use any device to capture votes.

NO ASSAULT ON BUSINESS.

Revision of Tariff Schedules at Present Would Bring On Panic.

It is well known that if congress undertakes to revise the iron and steel schedules there will be such a stopping of everything that iron and steel will go down in price and the iron and steel mills will stop. It will not be necessary to do anything more than to have a protracted debate in congress on the tariff. Not a rate of duty need be changed. The debate will do the work, says the Des Moines Capital. But what if the United States Iron & Steel company were driven to the wall, resulting in a collapse of everything connected with its business? There would probably be a general panic in the United States, such as the country had not had since 1893. The stock of the company are much below par, demonstrating the difficulty of paying dividends on an over-capitalization.

But suppose overcapitalization were sufficient ground for assaulting business. How many institutions would have to go? Take it locally in Iowa and if every corporation doing business on fictitious capital were compelled to go out of business, how many corporations would be left and what would become of some of the newspapers owned by corporations?

The president and congress realize the difficulties in the way of tariff changes, therefore they are not much excited on the subject. All the tariff rippers who have visited Washington have returned somewhat discouraged at the outlook. Foss, it is true, returned to Massachusetts and gave out a story about what the president said, but the country is used to Foss' hot air.

Let the Farmer Alone.

The Waterbury Republican, while professing devotion to the general policy of protection, wants to know why the farmers of the United States should be protected. We can think of many answers to that question, but the answer that seems to fit the present case best is that when protection shall have been withdrawn from the American farmer it will also be withdrawn from the American manufacturer. Enforce the Waterbury idea by exposing the farmers to the competition of cheaper imports of foodstuffs and how long will Waterbury retain protection for its clocks and watches? Not four years. Best not try any experiments with the American farmers.—American Economist.

☞We take it for granted that, in view of recent happenings, the president will see that Mr. Bryan gets a special invitation to the inauguration.—Washington Post.

☞If the political alliance between William J. Bryan and Chairman Tom Taggart is as reported, some ululations may soon be looked for coming out of the east.—Philadelphia Press.

☞Mr. Bryan's belief that the democratic party will survive the blow may very likely prove correct. Surviving blows is the one thing at which that party has long been successful.—Providence Bulletin.

Important Question.

Briggs—Yes, sir. My word is as good as my bond.

Griggs—How much is your bond worth?—Brooklyn Life.

THE BIG STRIKE IS ENDED

The Textile War at Fall River, Mass., is Settled Through Gov. Douglas' Efforts.

Boston, Jan. 19.—The strike of the cotton mill operatives at Fall River, which affected about 25,000 persons and has been in progress for six months, to the great hardship and suffering of Fall River people, was settled yesterday through the mediation of Gov. William L. Douglas.

Under the terms of an agreement accepted by both manufacturers and operatives at a conference held at the state house, the strikers will return to work at once under the 12½ per cent. reduction, against which they struck last July, and with no discrimination because of the strike. No rate of wages was established, but it was agreed that Gov. Douglas shall investigate the matter of margins between the cost of cotton to the mill owners and the selling price of the cloth and submit his conclusions as to an average margin upon which the manufacturers are to pay a dividend of 5 per cent. on wages earned from the present time to April 1.

Both sides regard the outcome as a victory.

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 19.—The news of the settlement of the long pending mill strike was received in this city with great enthusiasm.

The mills affected by the strike have a combined capital of $25,000,000 and have 2,300,000 spindles. During the months the 71 mills were shut down the operatives lost $150,000 weekly and the corporations about $23,000. The aggregate direct losses to all interests is estimated at fully $5,000,000. The indirect losses were also considerable.

A Startling Record of Accidents.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The interstate commerce commission has issued a report on railroad accidents in the United States during July, August and September, 1904, showing 228 passengers and 183 employes killed, and 2,154 passengers and 1,593 employes injured in train accidents. Other accidents to passengers and employes, not the result of collisions or derailments, bring the aggregate casualties for the quarter up to 1,032 killed and 13,207 injured. There were 1,439 collisions and 1,321 derailments, the damage to cars, engines and roadway being $2,439,073.

A Baker Stabbed Two People.

New York, Jan. 19.—The custom of an Italian baker to leave his delivery basket in the dark hallway of an East Side tenement while he delivered his wares through the house, resulted in a quarrel yesterday in which Pasquale Totoriello, aged 45, was killed and his niece, Mrs. Maria Totoriello, aged 30 years, fatally wounded. Both victims were stabbed. Mrs. Totoriello identified the baker, Salvatore Ferrari, as the man who killed her uncle and caused her own injuries. He was captured after a short chase by the police.

A Sequel to the Slocum Disaster.

New York, Jan. 19.—Charged with fraud, misconduct and violation of law in connection with the inspection of the excursion steamer General Slocum, which was burned in East river last June with a loss of more than a thousand lives, John W. Fleming and Henry Lundberg, formerly attached to the local office of United States inspectors of steamboats, were placed on trial Wednesday before Judge Thomas in the United States circuit court.

The Carnegie Hero Fund Commission.

Pittsburg, Jan. 19.—The annual meeting of the Carnegie hero fund commission was held here yesterday. George A. Campsey, of the Pittsburg Times, was appointed special agent of the commission to investigate cases reported to it, his appointment taking effect on February 1. The commission is making gratifying progress, but its plans have not progressed far enough yet to enable it to make awards in individual cases.

Was Caught in Cincinnati.

Pittsburg, Jan. 19.—Richard E. Grieve, chief bookkeeper for the Wabash railroad in this city, disappeared in September last and was charged by the company with the embezzlement of $2,690. A reward was offered for his arrest and last night he was brought from Cincinnati and lodged in jail.

Editor Otis Is Fined $500.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 19.—Harrison Gray Otis and his son-in-law, Harry Chandler, publishers of the Los Angeles Times, were yesterday fined $500 each by Judge Wilber in the superior court for publishing articles alleged to reflect on the action and motives of a recent county judge.

A Murder and Suicide.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 19.—Mary Kiff, a good-looking girl of 19 years, was shot and killed yesterday by an Italian in a room in a hotel in Pearl street. The man then shot and killed himself. The girl was the daughter of Daniel Kiff, a laborer, of Lockport.

Advanced the Price of Belting.

New York, Jan. 19.—At a special meeting last night of the Leather Belting Manufacturers' association it was resolved to at once advance the price of belting 15 per cent.

Will Get Life Sentences for Arson.

Carroll, Ia., Jan. 19.—C. W. Harvey and wife, 23 years of age, were yesterday convicted of arson. They set fire to a hotel shortly after their marriage a year ago to secure the insurance. W. E. and A. W. Hobbs, brothers, were burned to death in the fire. The penalty for the crime is life imprisonment.

Depew Is Re-elected.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 19.—The re-election of United States Senator Chauncey M. Depew was confirmed yesterday when the two houses met in joint session.

THE COLORADO STRIKE

Carroll D. Wright's Report to President Roosevelt Has Been Made Public.

BOTH PARTIES LAWLESS.

Commissioner of Labor Says the Character of the Mobs that Conducted Deportations Was Such as to Disgust the Best People of the State

Washington, Jan. 28.—President Roosevelt sent to the senate yesterday the report of Carroll D. Wright, commissioner of labor, on the strike troubles in Colorado. The report gives an entire history of the labor troubles in that state.

Commissioner Wright says there can be no doubt the cause of the strike was to establish the Western Federation of Miners in the smelters, including reduction and refining mills, as it already had been established in the mines.

In summing up the situation, the commissioner says: "Lawlessness accompanied the strike as a labor weapon, and it accompanied the actions of the alleged law and order element as a weapon against the strikers.

"The faults in the organization of the union, by allowing strikes to be determined by a committee instead of by a referendum, and the faults in the organization of the Citizens' Alliance, by allowing irresponsible mobs to represent it, have disturbed the peace of the counties in Colorado in which the conflict had been waged to such an extent that people outside of Colorado wonder if there is any law or any law abiding citizens in that state. It is a fact, however, that order is being restored, for there is a third party now interested which is claiming the adherence of the best elements in Colorado, and it is insisting that deportations, whether by the Western Federation of Miners, or under the instructions of the Mine Owners' association or Citizens' Alliance, shall cease."

BUSINESS BULLETIN.

Storms at Home and Complications Abroad Check Activity in Trade.

New York, Jan. 28.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

Storms at home and complications abroad tended to check activity in commercial and financial markets, but most industrial lines continue busy, testifying to confidence that trade interruption will be brief. Country merchants at the south have large stocks that move slowly. New England manufacturing plants are well engaged, especially in machinery, jewelry and textiles.

Production of pig iron continues at the maximum rate, yet there is no evidence of a reaction. Ample water supply has made it possible to maintain Connellsville coke production at the remarkable average of 300,000 tons weekly.

Failures this week numbered 305 in the United States, against 302 last year, and 43 in Canada, compared with 28 a year ago.

DEVELOPED GREAT SPEED.

The Armored Cruiser Maryland Was Able to Run More than 22 Knots an Hour.

Boston, Jan. 28—The armored cruiser Maryland, which was built for the United States government by the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Co., attained on her official trial trip yesterday an average speed of 22.306 knots an hour, thereby exceeding her contract requirement of 22 knots. The Maryland is the fourth and last of a type of fast cruisers to have a trial off Cape Ann. Of the three which have preceded, the Pennsylvania, the speediest, averaged a speed of 22.43 knots an hour. It cannot be said, however, at this time that the Pennsylvania is queen of her class, for it was announced by the trial board that the tidal corrections for the trial of the Maryland are in the ship's favor by from 11 to 18 one hundredths of a knot.

A GAMBLER'S CRIME.

He Shot and Killed Three Men and Then Committed Suicide.

Tucson, Ariz., Jan. 28.—A tragedy in which four men lost their lives occurred Friday in the border town of Nogales. Ferdinand Walters, a gambler, entered the Palace saloon, owned by M. M. Conn, walked to a poker table and, without a word of warning, drew a revolver and opened fire on the dealer, known as "Cowboy" Johnson, firing two shots through his head. Walters then turned on Conn, the proprietor, who was making his way toward the door, shooting him through the head and heart. The murderer then turned his weapon toward the monte dealer, shooting him through the back of the head. He fired a shot at George Bendle, a cattleman, which grazed the latter's face, and then sent a bullet through his own brain.

Locomotive Exploded.

Gratwick, N. Y., Jan. 28.—A Lehigh Valley locomotive drawing a freight train exploded here last night. George and John Wood, brothers, both of Caledonia, who were riding in the engineer's cab, were blown 50 feet and instantly killed. Engineer Charles Hoyt, of Manchester, was pinned in his cab and was dead when found.

Three Men Killed at a Crossing.

Greensburg, Pa., Jan. 28.—A passenger train on the Pennsylvania railroad ran down a sleigh at the Cowansburg crossing Friday and killed the three occupants.

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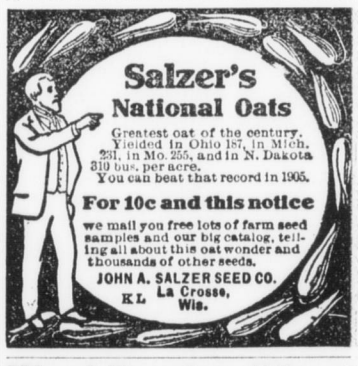
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STATIONS.	10	8	4	6	2
	P. M.	.....	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Port Allegany, Lv.	3 15	.....	7 05	.....	11 30
Coleman,	*3 23	.....	○○	.....	*11 41
Burtville,	*3 30	.....	7 16	.....	11 47
Roulette,	3 40	.....	7 26	.....	11 55
Knowlton's,	*3 45	.....	○○	.....	*11 59
Mina,	3 59	.....	7 35	.....	12 05
Olmsted,	*4 05	.....	*7 38	.....	*12 09
Hammonds,	○○	.....	○○	.....	*12 13
Coudersport. Ar.	4 20	A. M.	7 45	.....	12 15
Coudersport. Lv.		6 10		6 00	1 00
North Coudersport,	.....	*6 15	.....	○○	*1 05
Frink's,	.....	6 23	.....	*6 10	*1 12
Colesburg,	.....	*8 40	.....	*6 17	1 20
Seven Bridges,	.....	*6 45	.....	*6 21	*1 24
Raymonds's,	.....	*7 00	.....	*6 30	1 35
Gold,	.....	7 05	.....	6 36	1 41
Newfield,	.....	○○	.....		1 45
Newfield Junction,	.....	7 37	.....	6 45	1 50
Perkins,	.....	*7 40	.....	*6 48	*1 53
Carpenter's,	.....	7 46	.....	○○	*1 57
Crowell's,	.....	7 50	.....	*6 53	*2 01
Ulysses, Ar.	.....	8 05	.....	7 05	2 10
	.....	A. M.	.....		P. M.

WESTWARD.

STATIONS.	1	5	3	
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	.....
Ulysses, Lv.	7 20	2 25	9 19	.....
Crowell's,	*7 27	*2 32	* 9 19	.....
Carpenter's,	○○	*2 34	* 9 22	.....
Perkins,	*7 32	*2 37	* 9 26	.....
Newfield Junction,	7 37	2 42	9 32	.....
Newfield,	*7 41	2 46	○○	.....
Gold,	7 44	2 43	9 40	.....
Raymond's	*7 49	2 54	* 9 47	.....
Seven Bridges,	*8 01	*3 05	*10 02	.....
Colesburg,	*8 04	3 09	*10 10	.....
Frink's,	*8 12	*3 17	*10 20	.....
North Coudersport,	○○	*3 26	*10 35	.....
Coudersport, Ar.	8 25	3 30	10 45	.....
Coudersport, Lv.	8 28	6 00	1 20	.....
	○○	○○	○○	.....
Hammonds,	*8 33	*6 05	*1 31	.....
Olmsted,	8 37	6 10	1 37	.....
Mina,	○○	*6 17	○○	.....
Knowlton's,	8 47	6 21	1 51	.....
Roulette,	8 54	6 28	2 01	.....
Burtville,	○○	*6 34	○○	.....
Coleman,	9 06	6 40	2 25	.....
Port Allegany,			P. M.	

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P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	STATIONS.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
5 10		5 10	11 10	7 15	Lv.....Addison.....Ar	10 13	4 43			
5 41		5 41	11 41	8 01	.....Elkland.....	9 41	4 11			
5 46		5 46	11 46	8 06	.....Osceola.....	9 36	4 06			
5 55		5 55	11 55	8 22	.....Knoxville.....	9 26	3 53			
6 11		6 11	12 11	8 40	.....Westfield.....	9 13	3 43			
6 47		6 47	12 47	9 25	.....Gaines Junction.....	8 36	3 06			
7 00		7 00	1 00	9 49	Ar. Galeton, Lv.	8 23	2 53	5 55		
	5 00			10 20	Lv. Ar.					
7 40	5 40	P. M.	P. M.	10 58	Ar.....Cross Fork Junction.....Lv	7 39	2 09	4 23		
	5 45	2 10		11 00	Lv. Cross Fork Junction Ar.	7 15	2 00	3 55		
	6 55	3 00		11 50	Ar. Cross Fork, Pa. Lv.	6 15	1 00	3 05		
8 21	6 24	P. M.	A. M.	11 39	Ar.....Wharton.....Lv.	6 53	1 26	3 10		
			8 05	11 40	Lv.....Wharton.....Ar	10 53		8 00		
		A. M.	8 58	1 00	Ar.....Sinnamahoning.....Lv	9 55		1 40		
8 45	6 43	8 00		11 58	Lv.....Austin.....Ar	6 35	1 05	9 50	8 00	
	7 10	8 45		12 25	Ar.....Keating Summit.....Lv		12 40	9 10	7 30	
P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
			P. M.	A. M.						
			8 20	9 35	Lv.....Ansonia.....Ar	A. M. 9 21	P. M. 7 00			
			8 35	9 49	.....Manhatten.....	9 05	6 44			
			8 39	9 53	.....South Gaines.....	9 01	6 40			
			8 42	9 55	.....Gaines Junction.....	8 59	6 38			
			8 55	10 09	Ar.....Galeton.....Lv	8 45	6 25			
			P. M.	A. M.		A. M.	P. M.			
			P. M.	A. M.			P. M.			
			1 05	6 30	Lv.....Galeton.....Ar	10 10	4 55			
			1 24	6 47	.....Walton.....	9 51	4 39			
			1 50	7 13	.....Newfield Junction.....	9 27	4 16			
			2 06	7 30	.....West Bingham.....	9 09	4 01			
			2 18	7 41	.....Genesee.....	8 58	3 52			
			2 24	7 46	.....Shongo.....	8 53	3 47			
			2 46	8 05	Ar.....Wellsville.....Lv	8 36	3 30			
						A. M.	P. M.			

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A TURN IN THE TIDE.

News of a Russian Success in Manchuria Causes Joy Among St. Petersburg Officials.

THE SITUATION IMPROVES.

Work Has Been Resumed in 14 Large Establishments in St. Petersburg and Reports from Other Cities Are Less Alarming.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 28.—The news of Gen. Kuropatkin's successful repulse of the Japanese advance comes most opportunely. The belief exists here that Field Marshal Oyama sought to take advantage of any depression prevailing in the Russian ranks as the result of the news from St. Petersburg to launch an attack against Kuropatkin's right, but the Russian commander-in-chief seems to have nicely turned the tables, inflicting considerable loss upon the Japanese on Thursday and taking several positions westward along the plain of the Hun river.

Evidently Kuropatkin is following up his victory, the latest dispatches from the front, dated 6 p. m. January 27, indicating that there is a battle in progress extending along the center and becoming more and more serious. However, it seems to be confined to artillery. If the fighting develops into a general engagement military men here believe that a frontal attack by either side under the present circumstances is impossible.

The authorities are receiving the news from the front with great satisfaction, being convinced that it will serve to at least partially distract attention from the strike situation and internal affairs generally. At the same time the strike situation generally is improving. In St. Petersburg there is no longer any doubt that the strike is practically broken. Fourteen establishments, including the Franco-Russian, Aboukoff, Baltic, Russo-American Rubber Co. and Ropes's American refinery, already have resumed, and an entire starting up of factories seems to be assured for next Monday.

A remarkable feature is that the men who are returning to work are not asking conditions of the employers. They have seemingly turned their backs upon political agitators and accepted the government's promises in the matter of shorter hours and an equitable adjustment of their grievances at their face value. That the government proposes to compel the men to settle upon the government's terms is plainly evidenced by Finance Minister Kokovsoff's response to a deputation of masters, to whom he announced the government's decision to carry out the letter and spirit of the proclamation of January 25. Naturally to the masters this means that they will have to foot the bills.

One of the most famous of Russian liberals said to the Associated Press last night:

"Whilst the events of last Sunday have given an enormous impetus throughout Russia to all movements against the existing order of things, it is truly marvelous with what skill the government seems to be turning the situation to its own account with the very men who have suffered and who less than a week ago would have been in open revolt had they been able to procure arms."

At Warsaw yesterday there was a serious collision between workmen and soldiers, official reports giving the casualities as two killed and seven wounded. The strike at Libau continues and there has been no material change in the situation at Moscow, Saratoff and Lodz. There are grave fears of trouble at Ivanovo-Voznesnsk, the foremost cotton goods manufacturing town in the empire.

London, Jan. 28.—The situation in Warsaw is very grave, according to the correspondent there of the Daily Mail. When the bakers struck, rich people besieged the shops and bought the stocks and the supply of bread is now exhausted. The general condition in Poland is pitiable, owing to the bad harvest. There are fully 300,000 unemployed.

THE DODGE-MORSE CASE.

Grand Jury at New York Indicts Prominent People.

New York, Jan. 28.—Indictments in connection with the Dodge-Morse divorce complications were handed down Friday against ex-Justice of the Supreme Court Edgar L. Fursman; A. Hummel and Benjamin F. Steinhardt, of the law firm of Howe & Hummel; Edward J. Bracken, a detective said to have been employed by the firm; Charles F. Dodge, the former husband of Mrs. Morse, and several other persons whose names have not been made public.

The grand jury was excused from further duty until next Tuesday, when, it is said, more indictments will be found. The indictments against Hummel and Steinhardt are two each for subornation of perjury and one each for conspiracy. Against Fursman, Dodge and Bracken are one indictment each for conspiracy.

Two Big Damage Suits.

Philadelphia, Jan. 28.—Two suits for damages aggregating almost $2,000,000 were brought Friday against the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. in the United States court by the Pennsylvania Coal and Coke Co. and the Webster Coal and Coke Co., located in Blair, Cambria and Indiana counties, Pennsylvania. The former seeks to recover $426,174 and the latter $1,483,838. The suits are based on alleged favoritism shown to competing companies by the defendant, and the refusal to furnish sufficient cars to transport the coal of the plaintiffs.

WOMEN OF JAPAN.

SHARE THEY HAVE IN PRESENT WAR WITH RUSSIA.

A "Beloved Mother" Who Is One of the Leaders in Helping the Distressed Families of Soldiers in the Field.

New York City.—That the women of Japan are made of the same stuff as the men, though obliged to take a lesser part in the present conflict with Russia, is abundantly evident from an article contributed by the wife of Admiral Uriu to Harper's Bazar.

"The rich and the poor, the high and the low, have but one object," says Mme. Uriu, "to encourage those who are at the front, to help the distressed families whose supporters have been chosen to fight for their country, and, lastly, to help those families whose dear ones have died for the cause."

One of the leaders in this work is a most interesting woman by the name of Joko Okumura, the organizer of the Ladies' Patriotic association. Mme. Okumura, although not a young woman, appears to be animated by a spirit of burning patriotism and love for humanity that knows no rest.

Before the war with China broke out she was greatly interested in the Koreans, and labored unceasingly for their welfare. She induced the Korean government to build schools, and collected money in Japan for a girls' school. The Koreans worshiped her, and called her "Beloved Mother." She was in China at the time of the Boxer rising, and made a practice of attending the funerals of the dead Japanese soldiers. It was a touching sight, says Mme. Uriu, to see this gray-haired woman kneeling in prayer for the departed souls and one which many times affected the spectators to tears. She went about among the wounded soldiers continually, soothing and comforting them and promising them to look after their loved ones at home. She assured them that henceforth her object in life would be to help and relieve the bereaved families, and on her return she went on foot from one end of the kingdom to the other, urging the necessity of a patriotic association upon the leading women. The society was organized in time of profound peace, and before the present war broke out had 30,000 members. This increased to more than 40,000 within a month after the declaration of war.

MME. NAKAYAMA.
(Senior Member of the Ladies' Patriotic Association in Tokio.)

Princess Iwakura is the president of this society and the empress and other members of the imperial family are patronesses. Marchioness Oyama, a graduate of Vassar, is one of the most active workers and is now collecting money to send presents to the men at the front. Even the schoolgirls have a share in the work and are so anxious to help that they may be seen knitting socks and slippers on the street cars on their way to school.

Since the outbreak of the war a new relief society has been formed for the assistance of families whose male relatives have gone to the front. Princess Mori is chairman of this society. Though it is not customary in Japan for women to go out after the death of their husbands, Princess Mori, for the sake of her charities, has broken through all such convention. The foreign women in Tokio have joined in this relief work and the women of the diplomatic corps have given several entertainments in aid of the fund.

The Red Cross society of Japan is already well known. It is under the patronage of the imperial family, and at the Red Cross hospital in Tokio women of the court and others of high rank meet every three days to roll bandages.

Famous Ship.

The old three-decker Duke of Wellington, once the pride of the British navy, is being broken up at Portsmouth. She was launched in 1852 and headed the fleet that went to the Baltic when war was declared against Russia in 1854. At that time she was the biggest man-of-war in the world, though her tonnage was only 6,071. But she carried 131 guns. "She can fire 300 shots a minute. What can stand up to her?" said a London paper. She was of wood, of course, and represented the produce of 76 acres of forest oak, reckoned at 40 oaks, 100 years old, to the acre.

Total Farming Area.

It is estimated that the total area for farming purposes in the United States is 841,000,000 acres—an area larger than England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, France, Germany, Austria, Spain, Japan and the Transvaal. There are 10,439,000 persons engaged in agricultural pursuits, while all other industries employ but 18,845,000.

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In effect Nov. 27, 1904.

TRAINS LEAVE EMPORIUM EASTWARD
8 10 A. M.—Week days for Sunbury, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Hazleton, Pottsville, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6.23 P. M., New York 9.30 P. M., Baltimore 6.00 P. M., Washington 7.15 P. M. Pullman Parlor car from Williamsport to Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Kane to Philadelphia and Williamsport to Baltimore and Washington.
12:25 P. M. (Emporium Junction) daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and principal intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia, 7:32 p. m.; New York, 10:23 p. m.; Baltimore, 7:30 p. m.; Washington, 8:35, p. m. Vestibuled Parlor cars and passenger coaches, Buffalo to Philadelphia and Washington.
3 20 P. M.—daily for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia, 4.23 A. M., New York 7.13 A. M. Baltimore, 2:20 A. M. Washington, 3:30 A. M. Pullman sleeping cars from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7:30 A. M.
10 30 P. M.—Daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 7.17 A. M., New York 9.33 A. M., weekdays, (10.38 A. M. Sunday;) Baltimore 7.15 A. M., Washington 8.30 A. M. Pullman sleeping cars from Erie, Buffalo and Williamsport to Philadelphia and Buffalo, Williamsport to Washington. Passenger cars from Erie to Philadelphia and Williamsport to Baltimore.
12:15 A. M. (Emporium Junction), daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and principal intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia, 7:32 a. m.; New York, 9:33 a. m., week days; (10:38 Sundays); Baltimore, 7:25 a. m.; Washington, 8:46 a. m. Vestibuled Buffet Sleeping Cars and Passenger coaches, Buffalo to Philadelphia and Washington.

WESTWARD.
5:10 A. M.—Emporium Junction—daily for Erie, Ridgway, and week days for DuBois, Clermont and intermediate stations.
10 30 A. M.—Daily for Erie and week days for DuBois and intermediate stations.
6 23 P. M.—Week days for Kane and intermediate stations.

RIDGWAY AND CLEARFIELD R. R. CONNECTIONS.
(Week days.)

SOUTHWARD.			Stations.	NORTHWARD		
P. M	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
.....	9 00	4 02	....Renovo....	.....	5 00	11 45
.....	9 50	4 41	...Driftwood...	.....	4 00	11 05
.....	10 25	5 10	Emporium Junc	.....	3 23	10 35
.....	11 13	5 53	....St. Marys....	.....	2 35	9 53
3 20	11 05	5 55	.....Kane.....	12 25	3 00	8 25
3 36	11 23	6 10	.....Wilcox....	12 02	2 40	8 04
3 48	11 38	6 25	..Johnsonburg..	11 47	2 28	7 49
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4 05	12 01	6 50	...Ridgway,....	9 20	2 10	7 30
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4 15	12 09	7 01	...Mill Haven...	9 09		7 20
4 25	12 17	7 10	...Croyland....	9 00	1 49	7 09
———	12 22	7 15	..Shorts Mills..	8 55	———	7 05
4 31	12 26	7 19	...Blue Rock...	8 51	1 40	7 01
4 38	12 30	7 23	.....Carrier.....	8 47	1 37	6 57
4 48	12 40	7 32	.Brockwayville.	8 37	1 27	6 47
4 53	12 45	7 37	...Lanes Mills..	8 34	1 23	6 43
4 57		7 41	.McMinns Sm't.	8 30		6 38
5 01	12 54	7 45	..Harveys Run..	8 25	1 15	6 35
5 05	1 00	7 50	...Falls Creek...	8 20	1 10	6 30
5 20	1 25	8 03	....DuBois.....	8 08	12 55	6 10
5 10	1 15	7 55	...Falls Creek...	6 53	1 15	6 30
5 27	1 29	8 08	.Reynoldsville..	6 39	12 52	6 15
6 00	1 56	8 35	...Brookville...	6 05	12 24	5 39
6 45	2 38	9 20	New Bethlehem	5 20	11 41	4 50
7 25	3 20	10 00	....Red Bank....	.....	11 05	4 05
10 00	5 30	12 35	....Pittsburg...	.....	9 00	1 30
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.

BUFFALO & ALLEGHENY VALLEY DIVISION.
Leave Emporium Junction for Port Allegany, Olean, Arcade, East Aurora and Buffalo.
Train No. 107, daily.....4:05 A. M.
Train No. 115, daily.....4:15 P. M.
Trains leave Emporium for Keating, Port Allegany, Coudersport, Smethport, Eldred, Bradford, Olean and Buffalo, connecting at Buffalo for points East and West.
Train No. 101, week days.....8:25 A. M.
Train No. 103, week days.....1:35 P. M.
Train No. 103 will connect at Olean with Chautauqua Division for Allegany, Bradford, Salamanca, Warren, Oil City and Pittsburg.

LOW GRADE DIVISION.

EASTBOUND.

STATIONS.	109	113	101	105	107	951
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M	P. M	A. M.
Pittsburg, Lv.	.....	†6 22	†9 00	†130	*505	‡ 9 00
Red Bank,	.....	9 30	11 05	4 05	7 55	10 53
Lawsonham,	.....	9 47	11 18	4 18	8 07	11 08
New Bethle'm.	5 20	10 20	11 44	4 50	8 37	11 46
Brookville,	†6 05	11 10	12 24	5 39	9 22	12 26
Reynoldsville,	6 39	11 42	12 52	6 15	9 50	12 59
Falls Creek,	6 53	11 57	1 15	6 30	1005	1 14
DuBois,	7 00	†12 05	1 25	6 40	1015	‡ 1 26
Sabula,	7 12	.....	1 37	6 53		
Pennfield,	7 30	.....	1 55	7 15		
Bennezette,	8 04	.....	2 29	7 47		
Driftwood, via P. & E. Div	†8 40	.....	†3 05	8 20		
Driftwood, Lv.	†9 50	.....	†3 45			
Emporium, Ar.	†10 30	.....	†4 10			
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M	P. M	P. M.

WESTBOUND.

STATIONS.	108	106	102	114	110	952
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Via P. & E. Div	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M
Emporium, Lv.	.....	.....	†8 10	.....	†3 20	.....
Driftwood, Ar.	.....	.....	†9 04	.....	†4 00	.....
Via L. G. Div	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Driftwood, Lv.	.....	†5 50	†1110	.....	†5 50	.....
Bennezette,	.....	6 25	11 45	.....	6 25	.....
Pennfield,	.....	7 00	12 20	.....	7 04	.....
Sabula,	.....	7 18	12 39	.....	7 23	.....
DuBois	*6 05	7 30	12 55	†5 00	7 35	‡4 00
Falls Creek,	6 12	7 55	1 15	5 10	7 42	4 07
Reynoldsville,	6 30	8 08	1 29	5 27	7 58	4 20
Brookville,	7 05	8 35	1 56	6 00	†8 30	4 56
New Bethle'm.	7 51	9 20	2 38	6 45	9 29	5 35
Lawsonham,	8 21	9 47	†3 06	7 14	.....	6 08
Red Bank,	8 35	10 00	3 20	7 25	.....	6 20
Pittsburg, Ar.	*11 15	†1235	†5 30	†1010	.....	‡9 30
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only. ○Flag Stop.
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DEPART.
7.35 A. M.—For Kersey (Arr. 8.14 a. m.), Byrnedale (Arr. 8.56 a. m.,) Weedville (Arr. 9.03 a. m.;) Elbon (Arr, 8.46 a. m.,) Shawmut (Arr. 9.08 a. m.,) Brockwayville (Arr. 9.42 a. m.)
12.33 P. M.—For Clermont (Arr. 1.37 p. m.,) Smethport (Arr. 2.20 p. m.,) connecting for Bradford (Arr. 3.30 p. m.,) Eldred (Arr. 2.49 p. m.,) Olean (Arr. 3.40 p. m.,) connecting for Buffalo (Arr. 6.10 p. m.,) Bolivar (Arr. 3.33 p. m.,) Friendship (Arr. 4.08 p. m.,) Angelica (Arr. 4.34 p. m.,) Hornellsville (Arr. 6.10 p. m., Wayland (Arr. 7.23 p. m.,) connecting at Wayland with D. L. & W. R. R., and at Hornellsville with Erie R. R., for all points East and West.
2.45 P. M.—For Kersey (Arr. 3.26 p. m.,) Elbon (Arr. 4.09 p. m.,) Shawmut (Arr. 4.22 p. m.,) Brockwayville (Arr. 4.47 p. m.,) connecting with P. R. R., for Falls Creek (Arr. 5.10 p. m.,) DuBois (Arr. 5.25 p. m.,) Brookville (Arr. 6.09 p. m.,) and Pittsburg (Arr. 9.30 p. m.)

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CONSUMPTION

THE COUNTY.

SINNAMAHONING.

The slate roof we referred to last week was the subject of a quite heated talk in Crum's meat market Tuesday when the mail was late in the morning. Some said slate would crack in a hard hail storm and you could'nt drive cut nails without breakin' them in it. The P. O. S. of A., boys are putting' up a nice hall all right and they ought to have settled this before they decided to put the roof on.

We reckon Gundy Ad. Logue who lives on the Fork above the Red Bridge, on the same side as the Old Grist Mill is on, has been trappin' pretty steady this while back by the number of circulars he's getting through the P. O., with price of Pelts on. Hope he will be more successful in sellin' them than Uncle Jake was one winter. Trapped all 1 winter and in the Spring sent all his skins out to a Commissioner at Columbus, O., who din't pay any ways near up to the prices printed and sent out after deducting his present.

The last late election has been a great impetus to us here. Our neighbors in the village up at Driftwood are going to bore for oil and some of our own Citizens are talkin' of buildin' a dynamite plant quite aways above the old Turtle rock up Poorman's shanty branch in Grove Run. There's been quite a rivalry between the two sections for some time back. Ever since the old Parsonage was down near the old grave yard they've been trying to move it up there. Late last Fall some of our B. B. C., boys chipped in and paid the expenses back of some of our old ball players who don't live in our midst any more to play them on their own ground and our feelin' for them has been just about the same ever since. Here's hopein the'll strike oil up there and I spose maybe they would be glad if our Dynamite factory did go up. Well, they may be able to tie Old Sinnamahone but they'll never beat her.

We notice some of our Y. M. & Y. L., are takin' advantage of the sleighing weather in the evenings. Tuesday night when we were coming from the P. O., after the mail was changed we past two loads. We noticed in the sled facing us on the side opposite from the side we were walking on the following Y. M. & Y. L. viz: H. Speaker and Y. L., F. Lightner and Y. L., C. Krebs and Y. L. The 4th one on the same side we could not make out as just then Jim Barr hit his horses a cut. The 2nd load past us just on the little knoll below the wagon bridge which crosses the creek leading to Wyside but they were joggin' along so fast we couldn't tell who all was in. Some of them knew me allright because they hollared at me by my first name.

The R. P. U's who meet at some other house about the middle of the week every two weeks will join hands with some of the C. B. boys will give a masquerade party to those invited about the middle of next month maybe. The masks will be fixed on so no 1 can tell whose their Pardner until after supper when they will be took off. More than 150 invitations will be handed round or like as nough some will be sent through the P. O., that Tommy Snyder stays in. 150 is an awful lot and maybe there won't be enough to go around O. K.

As foretold in the columns of these papers one of tho most prominent members of the C. B. left that same night in Dick Walker's cutter with his girl in for Driftwood to take the 11 o'clock train to where they were goin' to get married. We were mistaken as to the time of there takin' off but we were told so by an outsider.

No. 1 seems to know whose going to run the store which the P. O. S. of A., boys are buidin' where they intend to hoid their meetings. Bob Lightner used to run it before it was burnt down by fire and right after the fire he fixed up the boys old coal shed and started to run in it, but now they have built their Hall nearly three stories up right in front of Bob"s place and you can't tell he is there unless your right in front of it.

When Walter Stryker's train came poppin in the other morning who stepped off but John Fink. It's been a long while back since Jno. was seen on our streets walkin' fast to and from to his dinner. Many of our Citizens were Powerful glad to see Jno. agin, and shake his hand. His wife was along with him and lookin' well.

C. F. Barclay struck out for Old Mexico Tuesdy. C. F.'s one of our prominent Citizens all right and George and him are 2 of a stock Co., who have powerful interests in the rubber business down there and he's gone to look after it. He'll be there till the middle of March maybe. His wife is with him.

MABUNON.

Fine sleighing and lumbermen are improving the same.

The Wyside school children took a sleigh ride Tuesday evening.

Barclay Bro's are harvesting their ice this week.

Mrs. Chas. Peasley has been quite sick this week. Dr. Russell is attending her.

Mrs. Geo. Hoover, of Pine Glen, was over to see her mother, Mrs. P. Mead, this week.

Mrs. Jas. Quiggle, of Lock Haven, is visiting friends here this week.

We think that the B. B. C., will have respect enough for the new Hall building not to deface it.

Mr. A'pheus Wylie and his able assitants are doing good work on the P. O. S. of A. building.

The trustees of the P. O. S. of A., leased the new store room, when completed, to Mr. M. N. Crum, who will put in a stock of general merchandise.

Mr. Ralph G. Shafer and Miss Myrtle Lloyd were united in the holy bonds of matrimony last Tuesday evening the 24th, by Rev. Faus.

Nace Drum says he is not a member of the C. C. B., but would like to be if for nothing else than to have the praise of some or the nice girls in town.

The A. D. R's met last evening and passed resolutions to meet on Saturday evening this winter—the Z. H. P's were find 5 cts.

The Young Ladies Batchelor Club will hold a masquerade party on St. Valentine eve., Feb. 14th in Brooks' Hall. None admitted unmasked. Admission and refreshments twenty-five cents.

The most noble and ancient order of the Arabian Degree have a special invitation to attend the B. G. C. party in uniform. All who do not see it will miss a treat and a good laugh.

Capt. and Mrs. C. F. Barclay, and Miss Lottie Brooks, started on flyer Tuesday noon, for New York, where they will take the steamer for Old Mexico and Havana, Cuba and Porto Rica and other places of note. They except to be absent on the trip about six weeks.

The Republicans held their primary Saturday afternoon and nominated the following ticket: Constable, Wm. Crum; Constable and Collector, M. Blodget; Supervisors, Wm. Swank and Amos Swartwood; Auditors, Fred Williams, C. A. Council; Judge of Election, N. H. McCloskey; Inspector, Wm. Swartwood; Clerk, G. W. Snyder; School Directors, Fred Williams, Miles Smith and Joseph Bowers.

DEBSE.

CAMERON.

Editor Press:—

Mrs. Robert Niles has returned from a three weeks visit in Smethport and Port Allegheny.

Mr. John Rhoades is in Buffalo on a short business trip.

Charles Skillman fell from the skidway at Square Timber Run, Monday, and sustained several painful bruises. Fortunately, however, he is still able to do light work.

Mr. John Johnston and son Rufus, of Cameron Mill spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Skillman.

A new whistle signal has been put in use by the log train crew, to be used by the engineer while approaching the log loader, or entering Cameron yard. It is one short, followed by one long blast of the whistle. It is considered an improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Farrel have moved from Johnsonburg into Mr. Warren McConnell's house. Mr. Farrel has accepted a position with the Calder Brick Co.

There will be mass at the Catholic Chapel, at Cameron, Sunday, Feb. 5th at 10:30 a. m., the pastor from Driftwood officiating.

Mr. John Morrison has returned from a pleasant trip to Wellsville, N. Y. Mr. Morrison looks much improved by his vacation.

A few words must be mentioned of the excellency of the mail service in Cameron. As a postmaster Mr. Lanniger is a success in every way; while Mr. Sullivan who carries the mail is as regular as the rising of the sun. You can set your watch by Danny.

Mr. William Nunn, who has been ill for the past two weeks, is on duty for the Cameron Lumber Co., again.

Robert Niles, Engineman of the log loader, fell irom his machine Saturday and fractured two of his ribs. It will be some time before be will be able to work again.

Dr. Smith of Emporium, was called to attend Mrs. Michael Cassidy Monday evening.

Mr. Robert Glenn was a welcome caller on friends at the Coal Chutes Sunday evening.

The infant child of Frank Kepner is very ill with bronchitis.

Mr. A. F. Peabody made a short visit to his family in Olean last week.

Mr. A. A. Dout attended the theatre in Emporium Monday evening.

Mr. A. F. Peabody, the genial manager of the Cameron store, has a new telephone running from his boarding house to the store, thus enabling him to eat his dinner without interruption, as he can eat with one hand and hold the receiver with the other. The saving of shoe leather more than pays for the rent of the 'phone.

Albert Card, while hunting near Sterling Run, Monday morning, came sud denly upon a large black bear, about 200 yards East of Mr. Hub Smith's house. Unfortunately Mr. Card's gun refused to work and upon examination he found the firing pin broken. The bear went Southeast across the mountain and was soon out of sight. But Mr. Card says he "will have him yet."

J. F. S.

STERLING RUN ITEMS.

Mrs. Trox Fulton, of Sinnamahoning, who has been visiting her parents at this place, returned home Sunday.

J. E. Smith and A. W. Mason attended the funeral of Mr. Kaul, at St. Marys on Saturday.

Mrs. Thos. Quinn and Mrs. Wm. Sprung and little son Gerald, of Emporium, are visiting their parents at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Anderson are rejoicing over the arrival of a little daughter at their home.

Mr. Byron Smith, of St Marys, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Miss Jennie Berry, of Emporium, is spending a few days with her parents.

Mrs. Blanch Lewis returned home Sunday after an extended visit with friends in Emporium.

The public school children will hold an entertainment and dance in Brooks' Hall, Friday evening, Feb. 3.

William Sprung and Clarence Quinn were seen on our streets Sunday.

A number of our townsmen attended caucus at Cameron on Saturday evening.

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Give Your Stomach a Rest.

Your food must be properly digested and assimilated to be of any value to you If your stomach is weak or diseased take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat and gives the stomach a rest, enabling it to recuperate, take on new life and grow strong again. Kodol cures sour stomach, gas, bloating, heart palpitation and all digestive disorders. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

Real religion never has to advertise for a chance to do good.

The Pneumonia Season.

Coughs and Colds in children as well as adults are frequently dangerous at this season of the year, and a little precaution now may save much trouble, worry and expense Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar; a combined cough and cold cure—a new scientific discovery in medicine—is a certain cure for Coughs, Colds, Croup, etc. The coughs and colds are cleared out of the system by gently moving the bowels, and at the same time the throat, chest, lungs and bronchial tubes are so strengthened that there is little probability of danger. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar is pleasant to take. Contains no opiates. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

Chance is one of the most profane words in our language.

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To cure Constipation and Liver troubles by gently moving the bowels and acting as a tonic to the liver, take Little Early Risers. These Famous Little Pills are mild, pleasant and harmless, but effective and sure. Their universal use for many years is a strong guarantee of their popularity and usefulness. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

More enemies have been slain by mercy than by malice.

The Sunshine of Spring.

The Salve that cures without a scar is DeWitt's Witch Salve. Cuts, Burns, Boils, Bruises and Piles disappear before the use of this salve as snow before the sunshine of spring. Miss H. M. Middleton, Thebes, Ill. says: "I was seriously afflicted with a fever sore that was very painful. DeWitt's With Hazel Salve cured me in less than a week." Get the genuine. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

Many a man who seems to be stupid and good is neither.

Fraud Exposed.

A few counterfeits have lately been making and trying to sell imitatious of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, and other medicines, thereby defrauding the public. This is to warn you to beware of such people, who seek to profit, through stealing the reputation of remedies which have been successfully curing disease for over 35 years. A sure protection, to you, is our name on the wrapper. Look for it, on all Dr. King's or Bucklen's remedies, as all others are mere imitations, H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, Ill., and Windsor, Canada.

That Tickling in the Throat.

One minute after taking One Minute Cough Cure that tickling in the throat is gone. It acts in the throat—not the stomach. Harmless—good for children. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

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Our New Year
Introductory Sale

WE have just finished a wonderfully prosperous year. One in which all our past sales-records were thrown so far in the rear that it will require the most vigorous and untiring work to surpass them. But work is our pastime and we are going to do it.

Your splendid patronage has placed increased purchasing power in our hands, the force of which will be felt in the ever increasing values that will benefit every money-wise person in this county who is wise enough to profit by it.

Keep Your Eye on Us all this Year and Watch Us Grow.

Emporium Furniture Co.,

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STORE ON THE RIALTO.

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We have them in flannelette, Percales and Calico. Every one is made in the latest style and are handsomely trimmed; the lining is good and the seams are bound. From 90c to $2.00 each.

Petticoats

Black sateen Petticoats, adjustable yokes, good quality sateen and trimmed with ruffles, accordion plaited. All made full and wide. Assorted lengths from 50c to $2.70.

OUTING.

Some of the best grades of Outing that we handle are Lily Cloth, in plain and fancy colors and Cinderilla Flanelette, in plain and fancy colors. These goods have a twilled weave peculiar to themselves, which makes them extra heavy and a good heavy fleece on either side, etc., at 10c and 12c per yard. We also have a lot of cheaper grades that are excellent values in a variety of colors at 8c and 10c per yard.

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Our stock of Calicoes are always up to date. We handle the famous Simpson and American prints. They always hold the color in washing. Have them in blues, greys, browns and black, etc., a 6c and 7c a yard.

McCALL'S PATTERNS.

The McCall Patterns are always up to date. You will have no trouble in doing your sewing if you use the McCall patterns. Help yourself to a fashion sheet while in our store.

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Do not fail to see those new Storm Coats. They are certainly all right, price and all.

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NEMOPHILA, per sack	$1 65
Felt's Fancy, "	1 75
Pet Grove, "	1 75
Graham, "	85
Rye "	75
Buckwheat, "	75
Patent Meal, "	50
Coarse Meal, per 100,	1 25
Chop Feed, "	1 25
Middlings Fancy "	1 40
Bran,	1 25
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PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department,let us know by postal card or letter, personally.

John Gleason was up from Driftwood Tuesday evening.

Geo. W. Gentry and family, of Sterling Run, will soon move to Idaho.

Retta McFadden was a PRESS visitor yesterday.

Mrs. William Clark is confined to her residence, being quite ill.

Miss Edna Cruice spent Sunday at St. Marys, the guest of her friend Nadine Morgan.

The big freeze in Florida struck some of the Emporium people, especially J. Pitt Felt's grove.

F. P. Strayer and wife returned on Friday from visiting at Butler, Brookville and Pittsburg.

Miss Jennie Evans spent Saturday and Sunday at Ridgway, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lamoreux.

Mrs. J. S. Wiley and daughters pleasantly entertained a party of friends at six o'clock dinner, Tuesday evening.

Miss Susie Darah, of Buffalo, has been guest at the residence of E. G. Coleman and mother during the past few days.

A very enjoyable feature of the services at the First Methodist Church, last Sunday evening, was a soprano solo by Miss Grace Lloyd.

Mr. John Weisman, of Olean, is visiting his children in town. They have resided with their grand-parents since the death of Mrs. Weisman.

Miss Mazie Gallagher returned on Saturday from visiting Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Baker, at Williamsport. She reports Mrs. Baker's health improved.

Mr. Flannigan, of Chicago, visited in town during the present week, and evidently enjoys Emporium society. We have not heard of any new church projects.

Wm. J. Donnelly, the pleasant and gentlemanly manager of Grand Union Tea Co., with headquarters at Bradford, made the PRESS a pleasant social call yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Nellis are very happy over the arrival of an eight pound baby boy. Arrived Jan. 30. "Dock" says the boy is a chip off the old block. We wish them much joy.

Rob't Clark and family returned on Buffalo Flyer yesterday morning, from attending the Golden Wedding of Mr. Clark's father and mother at Mt. Forest, Ont. They enjoyed their visit.

A number of pupils of the High School enjoyed a sleigh ride Saturday evening. The party was chaperoned by Miss Rumsey, Assistant Principal of the High School.

A sleighing party composed of thirty-one ladies drove up to Four Mile, Wednesday afternoon, and were entertained at H P. Minard's. Mose had charge of these ladies which accounts for their having a pleasant evening.

D. D. Stroup, Superintendent of the Sinnemahoning schools, was in town Saturday,attending Directors' Convention. Mr. Stroup is on the list for County Superintendent.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church is prepared to do plain sewing of all kinds.

Miss Nellie Thomas has returned home from Buffalo, where she had been visiting friends for some time.

Mr. Michael Evers, of Beechwood, was a welcome visitor at this office last Saturday. He will read the PRESS another year.

Mrs. F. P. Rentz went to Williamsport last Friday and remained over Sunday, visiting her mother, and son who is attending school there.

Mr. Theo. Hirsch, of Allegany City stopped in Emporium over Sunday, guest of his brother R. H. and family. He had been doing Buffalo for a few days.

Mrs. Mabel Cronk and little daughter called at the PRESS last Monday and directed her paper to be sent to Filmore, N. Y., where they have moved. She carried away a receipt for 1905.

Postmaster Seger has had the trials of Job this week. He can tell you all about dogs, cats, of the sweet scented variety; also frozen water pipes and—well, he can relate a story that beats all of Job's trials Be sure to console him.

Mrs. C. E. Stump and Mrs. Nellie Danforth of the East end, were pleasant visitors at this office this week. The latter handed in one year's subscription to the PRESS from Mrs. S. S. Hackett. Thanks.

J. P. Jepson, spent Suday with friends in town. Mr. Jepson has been busy with work at Emporium....Miss Edna Auchu, of Emporium, was a guest of Miss Bertha Weis a few days this week....Mrs. Philip Dixon and Mrs. Wm. McCarthy, of Pittsburg, spent Thurday last at Emporium, the guests of Mrs. Wm. Garrity.—St. Marys Gazette.

Check Lost.

On or about Jan. 21st, 1905 the undesigned lost a Penna R. R. check for $54.25, drawn in favor of Adam Market. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving or sending same to First National Bank, Emporium, Pa.

M. MURPHY.

Jan. 30th, 1905.—50-1t.

Salesman Wanted.

A hustler wanted to take charge of our business in Emporium and vicinity. For full particulars apply to Grand Union Tea Co., No. 88, Main St., Bradford, Pa.

Dime Social.

A dime social will be held at the residence of Mr. Herbert Day on Woodland Ave., Friday evening of this week. Everybody cordially invited. Proceeds towards liquidating church debt.

Music.

Mrs. J. W. Trotter, Diploma and Silver Medal of the Imperial Conservatoire of Music, St. Petersburg, has vacancies for pupils. Rubinstein and Leschetzky methods. 49-4t.

Handsome Calendar.

The First National Bank of Emporium has issued a handsome calendar, containing a picture of the new bank building, now the best appointed banking institution in this section of the state.

Poultry for Sale.

Choice young and old Buff Wyandotts, allow prices. 50-tf

ALFRED NELSON, Emporium, Pa.

Eye Specialist.

Prof. W. H. Budine, the well known Eye Specialist, of Binghamton, N. Y., will be at R. H. Hirsch's jewelry store, Emporium, Pa., February 10th and 11th. If you can't see well or have headache don't fail to call and see Prof. Budine, as he guarantees to cure all such cases. Lenses ground and fitted in old frames. Eyes tested and examined free. All work guaranteed.

FORMIDABLE GUNS.

The Bombards Used by the Turks In the Fifteenth Century.

In 1478 Mohammed II., in forming the siege of Scutari, in Albania, employed fourteen heavy bombards, the lightest of which threw a stone shot of 370 pounds weight, two sent shots of 500 pounds, one of 750 pounds, two of 850 pounds, one of 1,200 pounds, five of 1,500 and one of the enormous weight of 1,640 pounds, enormous even in these days, for our 80 ton guns throw only a 1,700 pound projectile, our 100 ton throws one of 2,000 pounds, and the 110 ton throws an 1,800 pound shot with a high velocity.

The stone shot of Mohammed's guns varied between twenty and thirty-two inches in diameter, about the height of a dining table, 2,534 of them fired on this occasion weighing, according to a calculation of General Lefroy's, about 1,000 tons, and were cut out of the solid rock on the spot. Assuming twenty-four inches as the average diameter of the shot fired at the siege, the total area of the surface dressed was nearly 32,000 square feet. At this siege the weight of the powder fired is estimated by General Lefroy to have been 250 tons. At the siege of Rhodes in 1480 Mohammed caused sixteen basilisks or double cannon to be cast on the spot, throwing balls two to three feet in diameter.—Chambers' Journal.

Real enjoyment is had when reading hat clever magazine, *The Smart Set.*

WHEN A MAN STARVES.

How It Feels to Go Without Food For Seven Days.

For the first two days through which a strong and healthy man is doomed to exist upon nothing his sufferings are perhaps more acute than in the remaining stages; he feels an inordinate, unspeakable craving at the stomach night and day. The mind runs upon beef, bread and other substances, but still in a great measure the body retains its strength. On the third and fourth days, but especially on the fourth, this incessant craving gives place to a sinking and weakness of the stomach, accompanied by nausea.

On the fifth day his cheeks appear hollow and sunken, his body attenuated; his color is ashy pale and his eyes wild, glassy and cannibalistic.

The sixth day brings with it increased suffering, although the pangs of hunger are lost in an overpowering languor and sickness. The head becomes dizzy; the ghosts of well remembered dinners pass in hideous procession through the mind.

The seventh day comes, bringing increasing lassitude and further prostration of strength. The mind wanders.—Chicago Chronicle.

Has a Distinct Advantage.

Addipus—Don't you hate to be as lean as you are? Skinnicus—No; sometimes I find it's a decided help. I can cross my legs in a crowded car without taking up any more room that I did before.—Chicago Tribune.

The noblest question in the world is, What good may I do in it?—Franklin.

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Arthur Durell Gore and Charles Albert Counsil have formed a partnership under the name of the Keystone Handle Company, Limited, for the purpose of manufacturing and selling for a period of twenty years from January 23, 1905, all manner of handles, paper plugs and general novelty wooden ware, with a capital of two thousand dollars, of which amount Arthur Durell Gore has subscribed one thousand dollars and Charles Albert Council has subscribed one thousand dollars to be paid in cash at once. That the liability of each of said partners is limited in accordance with the Act of General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, approved the 9th day of May, A. D., 1899,and that the articles of partnership have been left for record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for Cameron county, Pa.

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It's more than a fad, this buying at Day's—though it is a fad; the correct thing. It's an easy matter to live well if you deal at the Day Grocery Store.

We have been established in business long enough to know the wants of a customer and not so long that we have gotten into a rut.

This is a Progressive Store.

New fancies in groceries are continually being put on the market and we endeavor to keep them along with our regular stock of staple groceries which we are selling at a surprisingly low margin.

When you want something different, come to Day's.

Special Grocery List for

Friday and Saturday

THIS WEEK.

PURE LARD, In bulk.	9C	LEMONS, Fancy California Lemons, Practically seedless per dozen	20C
CALIFORNIA HAM trimmed shoulder, lb	8C	NAVEL ORANGES, California Navel Oranges 50c size, per dozen Fancy brand.	40C
Dairy Cheese, full Cream, mild, lb. Worth 16c.	12½	SUGAR, 25 lb. bag best granulated.	$1.65
ACME or OAK LEAF Soap, per cake, 7 cakes for 25c.	4C		
MACARONI, lb Genuine imported.	12C		

PEERLESS CRUSHED OYSTER SHELLS FOR PROFITABLE POULTRY RAISING. A frequent cause for hens not laying, is the absence in the food of Carbonate of Lime. As crushed oyster shell is practically pure carbonate of lime, it supplies when fed to poultry, this necessary element and greatly aids in the formation of the egg. For sale here in 10c cartons; 50c bags and 90c bags.

J. H. DAY,

'Phone 6. Emporium, Pa.

East Emporium's

Cash Store

Special Bargain Day Every Tuesday

Tuesday, Feb. 7th.

THIS GREAT

Reduction Sale

Of Flannels and Outing Flannels Breaks all records.

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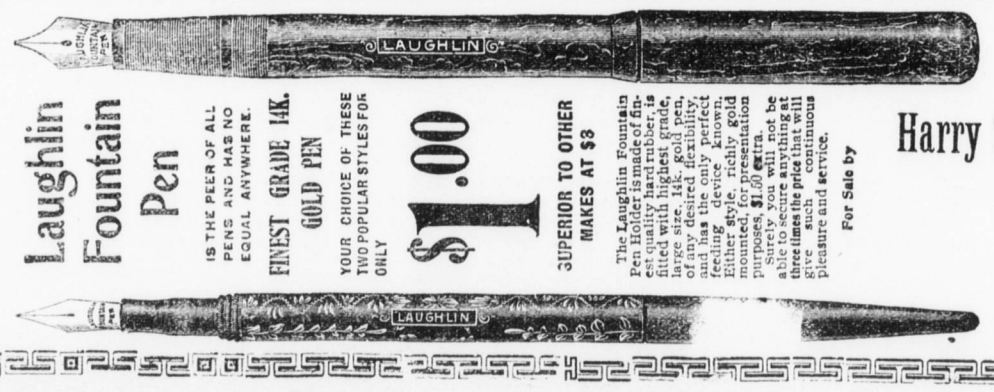
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In wavering morning spires,
When the sheep in nooks of the meadows
Are lying still,
And the old wheel dreams in the shadows
Behind the mill,
Then in the hush of the dawning, in the
silvery mists and the dew,
God opens the door a little way, and little
feet go through.

Sometimes it's when the wonder,
The hush and the dews have fled,
And noontide life pants under
The glare of the noon o'erhead,
When the plowman's furrows are creeping
Over the land,
Or rises the whir of the reaping
On every hand—
Or ever the swath is finished, or the long
brown furrow is run,
The unseen door swings open wide, and
the strong man's work is done.

Sometimes when the lamps of heaven
And the homelier lights of earth
Burn dim in the lonely even,
On high, or beside the hearth,
When the children go, and the cheery
Good nights are said,
And naught's by the fire but a weary
And bowing head—
Then opens the door where all roads end,
or run they east or west,
And child and man and a child again go
in and are at rest.

—William Hervey Woods, in Youth's Companion.

D'ri and I

By IRVING BACHELLER

Author of "Eben Holden," "Darrel of the Blessed Isles," Etc.

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CHAPTER VII.—CONTINUED.

He knew a little about rough fighting with a saber. He had seen my father and me go at each other hammer and tongs there in our dooryard every day of good weather. Stormy days he had always stood by in the kitchen, roaring with laughter, as the good steel rang and the house trembled. He had been slow to come to it, but had had his try with us, and had learned to take an attack without flinching. I went at him hard for a final lesson that day in the woods— a great folly, I was soon to know. We got warm and made more noise than I had any thought of. My horse took alarm and pulled away, running into a thicket. I turned to catch him.

"Judas Priest!" said D'ri.

There, within 10 feet of us, I saw what made me, ever after, a more prudent man. It was an English officer leaning on his sword, a tall and handsome fellow of some 40 years, in shiny top-boots and scarlet blouse and gauntlets of brown kid.

"You are quite clever," said he, touching his gray mustache.

I made no answer, but stood pulling myself together.

"You will learn," he added, smiling, with a tone of encouragement. "Let me show you a trick."

He was most polite in his manner, like a play-hero, and came toward me as he spoke. Then I saw four other Britishers coming out close in upon us from behind trees.

He came at me quickly, and I met him. He seemed to think it would be no trick to unhand my weapon. Like a flash, with a whip of his saber, he tried to wrench it away. D'ri had begun to shoot, dodging between trees, and a redcoat had tumbled over. I bore in upon my man, but he came back at me with surprising vigor. On my word, he was the quickest swordsman I ever had the honor of facing. But he had a mean way of saying "Ha!" as he turned my point. He soon angered me, whereupon I lost a bit of caution, with some blood, for he was at me like a flash, and grazed me on the hip before I could get my head again. It was no parlor play, I can tell you. We were fighting for life, and both knew it. We fought up and down through brakes and bushes and over stones—a perilous footing. I could feel his hand weakening. I put all my speed to the steel then, knowing well that, barring accident, I should win. I could hear somebody coming up behind me.

"Keep away there," my adversary shouted, with a fairness I admire when I think of it. "I can handle him. Get the other fellow."

I went at him to make an end of it.

"I'll make you squint, you young cub," he hissed, lunging at me.

He ripped my blouse at the shoulder, and, gods of war! we made the sparks fly. Then he went down, wriggling; I had caught him in the side, poor fellow! Like a flash I was off in a thicket. One of the enemy got out of my way and sent a bullet after me. I could feel it rip and sting in the muscle as it rubbed my ribs. I kept foot and made for my horse. He had caught his reins, and I was on him and off in the bush, between bullets that came ripping the leaves about me, before they could give chase.

Drums were beating the call to arms somewhere. I struck the trail in a minute, and, leaning low in the saddle, went bounding over logs and rocks down a steep hillside as if the devil were after me. I looked back, and was nearly raked off by a bough. I could hear horses coming in the trail behind with quick and heavy jumps. But I was up to rough riding and had little fear they would get a sight of me. However, crossing a long stretch of burnt timber, they must have seen me. I heard a crack of pistols far behind; a whiz of bullets over my head. I shook out the reins and let the horse go, urging with cluck and spur, never slacking for rock or hill or swale. It was a wilder ride than any I have known since or shall again, I can promise you, for, God knows, I have been hurt too often. Fast riding over a new trail is leaping in the dark and worse than treason to one's self. Add to it a saddle wet with your own blood, then you have something to give you a turn of the stomach thinking of it.

When I was near tumbling with a kind of rib-ache and could hear no pursuer, I pulled up. There was silence about me, save the sound of a light breeze in the tree-tops. I rolled off my horse, and hooked my elbow in the reins, and lay on my belly, grunting with pain. I felt better, having got my breath, and a rod of beech to bite upon—a good thing if one has been badly stung and has a journey to make. In five minutes I was up and off at a slow jog, for I knew I was near safety.

I thought much of poor D'ri and how he might be faring. The last I had seen of him, he was making good use of pistol and legs, running from tree to tree. He was a dead shot, little given to wasting lead. The drums were what worried me, for they indicated a big camp, and unless he got to the stirrups in short order, he must have been taken by overwhelming odds. It was near sundown when I came to a brook and falls I could not remember passing. I looked about me. Somewhere I had gone off the old trail—everything was new to me. It widened, as I rode on, up a steep hill. Where the tree-tops opened, the hill was covered with mossy turf, and there were fragrant ferns on each side of me. The ground was clear of brush and dead timber. Suddenly I heard a voice singing—a sweet girl voice that thrilled me, I do not know why, save that I always longed for the touch of a woman if badly hurt. But then I have felt that way having the pain of neither lead nor steel. The voice rang in the silent woods, but I could see no one nor any sign of human habitation. Shortly I came out upon a smooth roadway carpeted with sawdust. It

GODS OF WAR! WE MADE THE SPARKS FLY.

led through a grove, and following it, I came suddenly upon a big green mansion among the trees, with Doric pillars and a great portico where hammocks hung with soft cushions in them, and easy-chairs of old mahogany stood empty. I have said as little as possible of my aching wound: I have always thought it bad enough for one to suffer his own pain. But I must say I was never so tried to keep my head above me as when I came to that door. Two figures in white came out to meet me. At first I did not observe—I had enough to do keeping my eyes open—that they were the Mlles. de Lambert.

"God save us!" I heard one of them say. "He is hurt; he is pale. See the blood running off his bootleg."

Then, as one took the bit, the other eased me down from my saddle, calling loudly for help. She took her handkerchief—that had a perfume I have not yet forgotten—as she supported me, and wiped the sweat and dust from my face. Then I saw they were the splendid young ladies I had seen at the count's table. The discovery put new life in me; it was like a dash of water in the face. I lifted my hat and bowed to them.

"Ladies, my thanks to you," I said in as good French as I knew. "I have been shot. May I ask you to send for a doctor?"

A butler ran down the steps; a gardener and a stable-boy hurried out of the grove.

"To the big room—the Louis-Quinze," said one of the girls, excitedly, as the men came to my help.

The fat butler went puffing upstairs, and they followed, on each side of me.

"Go for a doctor, quick," said one of them to the gardener, who was coming behind—a Frenchman who prayed to a saint as he saw my blood.

They led me across a great green rug in a large hall above-stairs to a chamber of which I saw little then save its size and the wealth of its appointments. The young ladies set me down, bidding one to take off my boots, and sending another for hot water. They asked me where I was hurt. Then they took off my blouse and waistcoat.

"Mon Dieu!" said one to the other. "What can we do? Shall we cut the shirt?"

"Certainly. Cut the shirt," said the other. "We must help him. We cannot let him die."

"God forbid!" was the answer. "See the blood. Poor fellow! It is terrible!"

They spoke very tenderly as they cut my shirt with scissors, and bared my back, and washed my wound with warm water. I never felt a touch so caressing as that of their light fingers, but, gods of war! it did hurt me. The bathing done, they bound me big with bandages and left the room until the butler had helped me into bed. They came soon with spirits and bathed my face and hands. One leaned over me, whispering, and asking what I would like to eat. Directly a team of horses came prancing to the door.

"The colonel!" one of them whispered, listening.

"The colonel, upon my soul!" said the other, that sprightly Louison, as she tiptoed to the window. They used to call her "Tiptoes" at the Hermitage.

The colonel! I remembered she was none other than the Baroness de Ferre; and thinking of her and the grateful feeling of the sheets of soft linen, I fell asleep.

CHAPTER VIII.

The doctor came that night, and took out of my back a piece of flattened lead. It had gone under the flesh, quite half round my body, next to the ribs, without doing worse than to rake the bone here and there and weaken me with a loss of blood. I woke awhile before he came. The baroness and the fat butler were sitting beside me. She was a big, stout woman of some 40 years, with dark hair and gray eyes, and teeth of remarkable symmetry. That evening, I remember, she was in full dress.

"My poor boy!" said she, in English and in a sympathetic tone, as she bent over me.

Indeed, my own mother could not have been kinder than that good woman. She was one that had a heart and hand for the sick-room. I told her how I had been hurt and of my ride. She heard me through with a glow in her eyes.

"What a story!" said she. "What a dare-devil! I do not see how it has been possible for you to live."

She spoke to me always in English of quaint wording and quainter accent. She seemed not to know that I could speak French.

An impressive French tutor—a fine old fellow, obsequious and bald-headed—sat by me all night to give me medicine. In the morning I felt as if I had a new heart in me, and was planning to mount my horse. I thought I ought to go about my business, but I fear I thought more of the young ladies and the possibility of my seeing them again. The baroness came in after I had a bite to eat. I told her I felt able to ride.

"You are not able, my child. You cannot ride the horse now," said she, feeling my brow; "maybe not for a ver' long time. I have a large house, plenty servant, plenty food. Parbleu! be content. We shall take good care of you. If there is one message to go to your chief, you know I shall send it."

I wrote a brief report of my adventure with the British, locating the scene as carefully as might be, and she sent it by mounted messenger to "the Burg."

"The young ladies they wish to see you," said the baroness. "They are kind-hearted; they would like to do what they can. But I tell them no; they will make you to be very tired."

"On the contrary, it will rest me. Let them come," I said.

"But I warn you," said she, lifting her finger as she left the room, "do not fall in love. They are full of mischief. They do not study. They do not care. You know they make much fun all day."

The young ladies came in presently. They wore gray gowns admirably fitted to their fine figures. They brought big bouquets and set them, with a handsome courtesy, on the table beside me. They took chairs and sat solemn-faced, without a word, as if it were a Quaker meeting they had come to. I never saw better models of sympathetic propriety. I was about to speak. One of them shook her head, a finger on her lips.

"Do not say one word," she said solemnly in English. "It will make you ver' sick."

It was the first effort of either of them to address me in English. As I soon knew, the warning had exhausted her vocabulary. The baroness went below in a moment. Then the one who had spoken came over and sat near me, smiling.

"She does not know you can speak French," said she, whispering and addressing me in her native tongue, as the other tiptoed to the door. "On your life, do not let her know. She will never permit us to see you. She will keep us under lock and key. She knows we cannot speak English, so she thinks we cannot talk with you. It is a great lark. Are you better?"

What was I to do under orders from such authority? As they bade me, I hope you will say, for that is what I did. I had no easy conscience about it, I must own. Day after day I took my part in the little comedy. They came in Quaker-faced if the baroness were at hand, never speaking except to her, until she had gone. Then—well, such animation, such wit, such bright eyes, such brilliancy, I have never seen or heard.

My wound was healing. War and stern duty were as things of the far past. The grand passion had hold of me. I tried to fight it down, to shake it off, but somehow it had the claws of a tiger. There was an odd thing about it all: I could not for the life of me tell which of the two charming girls I loved the better. It may seem incredible; I could not understand it myself. They looked alike, and yet they were quite different. Louison was a year older and of stouter build. She had more animation also, and always a quicker and perhaps a brighter answer. The other had a face more serious, albeit no less beautiful, and a slower tongue. She had little to say, but her silence had much in it to admire, and, indeed, to remember. They appealed to different men in me with equal force, I did not then know why. A perplexing problem it was, and I had to think and suffer much before I saw the end of it, and really came to know what love is and what it is not.

Shortly I was near the end of this delightful season of illness. I had been out of bed a week. The baroness had read to me every day, and had been so kind that I felt a great shame for my part in our deception. Every afternoon she was off in a boat or in her caleche, and had promised to take me with her as soon as I was able to go.

"You know," said she, "I am going to make you stay her a full month. I have the consent of the general."

I had begun to move about a little and enjoy the splendor of that forest home. There were, indeed, many rare and priceless things in it that came out of her chateau in France. She had some curious old clocks, tokens of ancestral taste and friendship. There was one her grandfather had got from the land of Louis XIV.—le Grand Monarque, of whom my mother had begun to tell me as soon as I could hear with understanding. Another came from the bedchamber of Philip II. of Spain—a grand high clock that tolled the hours in that great hall beyond my door. A little thing, in a case of carved ivory, that ticked on a table near my bed, Moliere had given to one of her ancestors, and there were many others of equal interest.

Her walls were adorned with art treasures of the value of which I had little appreciation those days. But I remember there were canvasses of Correggio and Rembrandt and Sir Joshua Reynolds. She was, indeed, a woman of fine taste, who had brought her best to America; for no one had a doubt, in the time of which I am writing, that the settlement of the Compagnie de New York would grow into a great colony, with towns and cities and fine roadways, and the full complement of high living. She had built the Hermitage—that was the name of the mansion—fine and splendid as it was, for a mere temporary shelter pending the arrival of those better days.

She had a curious fad, this hermit baroness of the big woods. She loved nature and was a naturalist of no poor attainments. Wasps and hornets were the special study of this remarkable woman. There were at least a score of their nests on her front portico—big and little and some of them oddly shaped. She hunted them in wood and field. When she found a nest she had it moved carefully after nightfall, under a bit of netting, and fastened somewhere about the gables. Around the Hermitage were many withered boughs and briers holding cones of wrought fiber, each a citadel of these uniformed soldiers of the air and the poisoned arrow. They were assembled in colonies of yellow, white, blue, and black wasps, and white-faced hornets. She had no fear of them, and, indeed, no one of the household was ever stung to my knowledge. I have seen her stand in front of her door and feed them out of a saucer. There were special favorites that would light upon her palm, overrunning its pink hollow and gorging at the honey-drop.

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Millinery Botany.

Miss Johnson was an excellent teacher, but her taste in dress, especially head-dress, was so peculiar that even her adoring pupils could not fail to notice it. The verdure which appeared upon Miss Johnson's hat one season was so gaudy that several wondering comments were made by the boys. "I'm going to ask her what the green stuff is,' said one boy, valiantly, in spite of the vigorous objections of his companions. "She won't mind, and next nature-study class I'm going to ask her, and see who's right." So, red in the face but stubborn, he rose at the end of a lesson on wayside flowers, in response to Miss Johnson's general request for any questions which might have come up since the last lesson. "I'd like to know about that green stuff on your hat," he said, bluntly. "John Aken, he says it's beach grass, but I say it's onion sprouts."—Youth's Companion.

Persuasion That Brought Confession.

"Did I understand you to say that this boy voluntarily confessed his share in the mischief done to the schoolhouse?" asked the magistrate, addressing the determined looking female parent of a small and dirty boy.

"Yes, sir, he did," the woman responded. "I just had to persuade him a little, and then he told me the whole thing voluntarily."

"How did you persuade him?" queried his worship.

"Well, first I gave him a good thrashing," said the firm parent, "and then I put him to bed without any supper and took his clothes away and told him he'd stay in bed till he'd confessed what he'd done, if 'twas the rest of his days, and I should thrash him again in the morning. And in less than an hour he told me the whole story voluntarily."—Cassell's Saturday Journal.

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A district visitor was talking to a man who had recently been in that species of "trouble" which is associated with high walls and iron bars.

"And was the prison chaplain kind to you, my man?" she inquired, tenderly.

"Kind, miss? Why, bless you, he couldn't have been kinder to me if I had been condemned to be hanged."—Smith's Weekly.

His Career.

Lord Stonybroke—It's time, Clarence, that you were thinking about a career.

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"I think," said the naturalist, "every man ought to have a collection of some kind. It adds zest to life."

"Oh, yes," said his friend. "I have quite a collection. I am interested in flowers. Come home with me and I'll show them to you."

As they approached the Orr home six fine, healthy children, playing on the lawn, ran to meet their father.

"These," said Mr. Orr, with a twinkle in his eye, "form my collection of orchids. Ain't they grand specimens?"

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"You were under medical treatment, of course?'

"Yes, when I became so bad that I had to give up my housework, in May of 1903, I was being treated for kidney trouble, and later the doctor thought my difficulties came from change of life. I was not only weak, but I had dizzy feelings, palpitation of the heart, misery after eating, hot flashes, nervous headaches, rheumatic pains in the back and hips. The doctor did me so little good that I gave up his treatment, and really feared that my case was incurable."

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State Should Reform, Not Confirm, Evil-Doers

By JAMES L. DAWSON,
Police Sergeant of St. Louis—Father of Juvenile Court Idea.

FROM reports and other data recently obtained from a half dozen of the leading industrial reformatories of this country, covering years of time, I have no hesitancy whatever in stating that in every instance time has proven the wisdom of their establishment.

They are meeting every requirement and justifying every expectation previously entertained by the friends of the reformatory system; a system, by the way, which has come to stay. The principle embodied in this law rings the death knell of "retributive justice," or so much punishment for so much crime.

Except upon the theory of retribution, why should a criminal be sent to prison for a definite period of time any more than a lunatic to a hospital for the insane?

Again, as to the retributory theory of the criminal law in its practical application to criminals how is it possible to adjust crime and penalty to each other unless we find some accurate measure of guilt on the one hand and suffering on the other, which seems to be impossible?

The law deals with crime and from whatever cause it may be committed, the effort of the law should be to reform, not to confirm the evil-doer.

Definite sentences are never reformatory, since they are in fact retributory and founded on the act which is passed, having occurred prior to the sentence, and therefore irrevocable.

Reformatory sentences can be based only on the character of the person which it is desired to convert. But the time required to alter it cannot be estimated in advance any more than we can tell how long it will take for a lunatic to recover from an attack of insanity.

It must be borne in mind that a large majority of those sent to penal institutions are committed in that youthful period of their existence when character and habits are formed. It must be borne in mind, also, that crime is a condition before it is an act.

This condition is social more than individual, environmental more than hereditary.

It arises through the failure of the fundamental institutions (the home, school, church, society, etc.). The responsibility for this neglect or failure does not rest upon the youthful offender, it is true, but upon those whose duty it was to prepare him for the tasks of life, which, when forced upon him in early manhood, completely upset his previous habits of existence.

The responsibility rests upon their shoulders, but the retribution falls upon him, and, regarded from this point of view, he is to be pitied as much as blamed.

How often does it occur that actual want of ability by such youths is mistaken for idleness, carelessness or want of will, and punishment is inflicted when it is out of order, and often marks the beginning of a criminal career? And it is really astonishing to note how rapidly a youthful offender, once thoroughly started on a career of crime, deserts the straight and narrow path and goes down to destruction as if crime was governed by the law of gravity. Dean Wayland said: "It is not impertinent or irrelevant to inquire whether society is sufficiently guarded, or whether the innocent, law-abiding citizen receives a fair equivalent for taxes 'well and truly paid' into the treasury of the state, when dangerous and incorrigible criminals are let loose upon the community simply because an arbitrary or definite term of imprisonment is ended. Indeed, it cannnot be doubted that there is no more effectual agency for creating and fostering a criminal class than a series of short sentences for repeated violations of the law."

In the words of my friend and co-worker, Dr. Pettijohn, of Brookfield, Mo.: "If the only benefits society receives from their being thus held is the sense of security while their term of imprisonment lasts, as well might we claim the tiger's cub until his muscles are strengthened and his fangs full grown, and then turn him loose with greater powers for evil and destruction."

Spirit Communications

By REV. R. HEBER NEWTON.

Psychical science has proven that the spirits of the dead communicate with the living, that telepathy is a power possessed by many men and women, that clairvoyance is an established science fact, and that it may be possible for men to carry halos about their heads.

I know a woman of fine culture and high character who will not trade her gift for commercial purposes, but who has a most remarkable power known as psychemetry—the power of holding a sealed letter in her hand and giving a diagnosis of the physical condition of the writer and a picture of his character; of taking a bit of stone from an ancient villa of Cicero, for example, the nature of which is entirely unknown to her, and calling up a vision of the villa as it existed in Cicero's time and of its owner. She is incapable of fraud and her case is but one of others which I know.

Mesmerism was laughed out of court at the opening of our century, and it is back again, in good standing, under the alias of "hypnotism." So one may run on through a list of strange, unaccountable, mysterious and most unbelievable powers of man, leading up to that nightmare of the dogmatic scientist, spiritism.

For the first time in the history of man these powers have been scientifically investigated in our day. Already the result is that a considerable number of eminent men of science have had the courage to avow that, after allowing for illusion, fraud and every possible hypothesis of interpretation, they have been driven up to the ultimate solution of the problem—the belief in the actual communication of the spirits of those whom we call dead, with the living.

The possibilities of mental medicines are only being opened. Its application to the most distressing form of human malady, insanity, is full of beneficent results. Its potency in character reform and the cure of the drink habit seems vast and benign.

Religious faith is finding its true foundations in the recognition of man as a spiritual being, a being who has had dominon over nature given to him, as the child of a vaster Spiritual Being, the Lord of all life.

THE FARMING WORLD

SHORT TALK ON GRAFTING

Some of the Underlying Principles o the Process—Good and Poor Unions.

In the work of grafting the nature of the union stock and scion is not very generally understood. It is often a mooted question among those who make a scientific study of pomology. A true appreciation of the principles will prove valuable in the practice of horticulture. Some worthy and valuable research along this line has been prosecuted at the Massachusetts experiment station under the leadership of Prof. F. A. Waugh.

Prof. Waugh speaks of grafting as the union of scion with stock. In the vast majority of cases the prime object, in fact the sole object of grafting is to

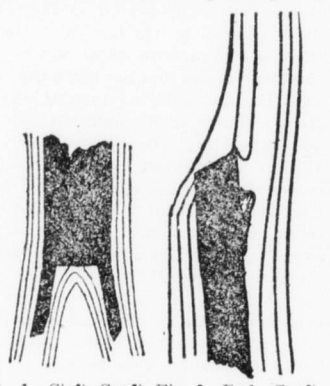

Fig. 1.—Cleft Graft. Fig. 2.—Bud Graft.

secure this union. The nature of the union is generally understood to determine the whole success or failure of the graft. These phrases, good unions and poor unions, are common in horticulture, yet their significance is generally unknown. The facts are often wrongly guessed and the whole nature of the matter at times essentially misunderstood.

It is pointed out by Prof. Waugh that in herbaceous grafting (where soft growing parts are used) there is no general commingling of the cells of scion and stock as has been popularly imagined. The original scion and the original stock remain to the end of their existence very largely separate and distinct. Disregarding for a moment the very thin cambium zone, the stock and scion are made up wholly of dead wood and bark. With perfectly negligible exceptions the cells are all dead, totally and forever. It is absolutely impossible for them to grow or to unite with anything. One might as well talk of making a lead pencil unite with a penholder or a neckyoke with a singletree. The two may be glued together, waxed together, tied together, but they can never unite.

The thin sheet of cambium, lying between the bark and the wood, is the only portion of the tree stem which is really alive, the only portion which can grow and is therefore the part where we must look for the beginning of the graft union. Note Fig. 1, which is a diagram of a cleft graft three years old. The black portions represent the wood of the original scion and stock; the white portions three annual layers of wood which have grown since the graft was made.

It has long been the dream of gardeners to produce new kinds of plants by the graft union of new scions and stocks. Our present observations show this to be impossible. No matter how closely the two kinds of cells may lie against one another, their contents are never mingled in the production of the cell. The cell tissues of the stock and scion may commingle or lap in together somewhat in the line of union, but this mixture is only mechanical, not physiological. The experiments were conducted with bud unions, and from our view there is no difference between a bud graft and a long scion graft.

Fig. 2 shows diagramatically the growth of a bud when set upon a stock. The black portion represents the wood of the stock, the shaded portion the bud or scion and the white portion three annual layers of growth which have been put on since the bud was set. In this case, as with the common graft, the layers of the new growth are continuous, running from top to bottom without any break at the plane of junction.

If the normal union of scion and stock is made of such complete and continuous cylinders of annual growth as above mentioned, one will naturally ask the reasons for the unsuccessful unions. The answer is not an altogether easy one. We may approach it by saying that, when the two members are unlike in nature and in some way physiologically incompatible, the wood does not heal readily, owing to some sort of irrigation which continues to be felt at this point. After a close study of a large number of defective scions, Prof. Waugh has reached the opinion that they are almost always due to this incompatibility of stock and scion.

It is a common notion among horticulturists that careless or ignorant manipulation in the grafting will lead to poor unions. There seems to be little ground for this opinion. If the stock and scion are of varieties which are congenial, and if the graft or bud grows at all, the union will nearly always be good. Poor manipulation will often cause the failure of a large percentage to grow, but it seldom affects permanently the strength of the union in those grafts which live at all. This interesting bulletin covering these facts in detail is now ready for distribution.

Our butter-making industry has not kept pace with our manufacturing in other lines.

Women in Our Hospitals

Appalling Increase in the Number of Operations Performed Each Year—How Women May Avoid Them.

Going through the hospitals in our large cities one is surprised to find such a large proportion of the patients lying on those snow-white beds women and girls, who are either awaiting or recovering from serious operations.

Why should this be the case? Simply because they have neglected themselves. Ovarian and womb troubles are certainly on the increase among the women of this country—they creep upon them unawares, but every one of those patients in the hospital beds had plenty of warning in that bearing-down feeling, pain at left or right of the womb, nervous exhaustion, pain in the small of the back, leucorrhœa, dizziness, flatulency, displacements of the womb or irregularities. All of these symptoms are indications of an unhealthy condition of the ovaries or womb, and if not heeded the penalty has to be paid by a dangerous operation. When these symptoms manifest themselves, do not drag along until you are obliged to go to the hospital and submit to an operation—but remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has saved thousands of women from surgical operations

When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhœa, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating (or flatulency), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy.

The following letters cannot fail to bring hope to despairing women.

Mrs. Fred Seydel, 412 N. 54th Street, West Philadelphia, Pa., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I was in a very serious condition when I wrote to you for advice. I had a serious womb and ovarian trouble and I could not carry a child to maturity, and was advised that an operation was my only hope of recovery. I could not bear to think of going to the hospital, so wrote you for advice. I did as you instructed me and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; and I am not only a well woman to-day, but have a beautiful baby girl six months old. I advise all sick and suffering women to write you for advice, as you have done so much for me."

Miss Ruby Mushrush, of East Chicago, Ind., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I have been a great sufferer with irregular menstruation and ovarian trouble, and about three months ago the doctor, after using the X-Ray on me, said I had an abcess on the ovaries and would have to have an operation. My mother wanted me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as a last resort, and it not only saved me from an operation but made me entirely well."

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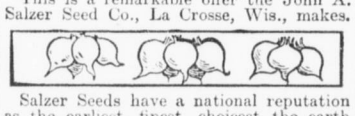

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The best sign of a man's ignorance of a language is a habit of uselessly introducing certain commonplace expressions from it into ordinary conversation.—N. O. Times-Democrat.

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Sweet 16 is famous, to be sure, but it is the average woman's twenty-fifth birthday, perhaps, that is most celebrated.—Puck.

Do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—J. F. Boyer, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900.

There never was any heart truly great and generous that was not also tender and compassionate.—South.

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The Mad Ambassador.

There was a tragic little scene immediately preceding the marriage of King Edward VII. when he was the Prince of Wales. With several of his royal relatives he was staying at the Prussian embassy in Rome, where his host was the German ambassador, Baron von Kanitz.

The responsibility of entertaining so many august personages under his roof was too much for the ambassador. He appeared at dinner one night in his dressing gown and slippers and to half the royalties of Europe exclaimed: "Is this to go on much longer? I am heartily sick of it, and it must come to an end at once."

They carried him to his room and the next day removed him to an asylum, a raving lunatic.

Rocking and Sleep.

Dr. Manacoine, the famous Russian authority on sleep phenomena, says that rocking is an artificial method of inducing slumber. The process fatigues consciousness by a series of monotonous sensations and incidentally deprives the brain of its blood supply. Absence of blood from the brain makes sleep. The influence of the lullaby is objectionable, but not equally so. A baby will go to sleep unaided when it needs sleep.

Her Recommendation.

Cholly—So Miss Tartun loosened up and said a good word about me, did she? Archie—Yes; she said that when one got better acquainted with you one found you were not half as big a fool as you appeared to be.—Exchange.

WINTER EATING RUINS STOMACHS

"Now is the Time You Need Mi-o-na," Says L. Taggart.

Think for a moment of the extra strain you put upon the stomach in the Winter. The hearty food, the late suppers, and the lack of exercise and out door life all weaken and strain the stomach, laying the foundation for poor health and suffering.

Chronic stomach troubles, nervous irritability, and serious bowel and kidney diseases have often dated from a week of extra "good living." Nearly everyone is bothered with more or less headaches and backaches, furred tongue, poor appetite, dry, hacking cough, heartburn, spots before the eyes, dizziness or vestigo, sleeplessness, lack of energy, loss of flesh or a general week, tired feeling.

Now is the time when Mi-o-na is needed to repair the ravages and wastes the hearty eating of Winter has caused in the stomach and digestive system. This is the only known agent that strengthens the stomach and digestive organs, so they can and will digest whatever food is eaten. A Mi-o na tablet taken before each meal will remove all irritation, inflammation and congestion in the digestive organs, and so strengthen them that they will extract from the food all that goes to make good rich blood, firm muscle, and a sound, healthy body.

This remarkable remedy costs but 50 cents, and if its use does not restore your full vigor, vitality, and health, L. Taggar one of the best known druggist in this section will refund your money. Unbounded faith like this deserves your confidence.

Fearful Revenge.

Watts—Does your wife ever scold when you have been out late at night? Potts—Oh, no; she never says a word! She gets up the next morning about 4 o'clock and practices on the piano, and I daren't say a word.

A Mark of Culture.

Maud—That's a letter from Jack, is it? What horrid spelling! Mabel—I know it. He does it on purpose. He says that bad spelling is a mark of high literary culture nowadays.—Chicago Tribune.

"FOUND"

Odd Notice in Prominent Southern Paper of Interest to Emporium Residents.

One of the best known newspapers in the South is the "Guide" of Dunn, N. C. Its publisher, J. P. Pitman, sends us the following clipping with request to publish,

"Found.—by the editor of the Guide, a bottle of Hyomei, the wonderful treatment that cures catarrh without stomach dosing. We can speak in highest praise of its remarkable power to cure and relieve catarrh of the head and throat. This mention is made not as an advertisement but in the interest of those who suffer the torture of that terrible disease, catarrh."

In sending the clipping, Mr. Pitman wrote the following letter:

"I enclose a little piece from my paper, issued to-day. You will see from this that I desire to push the selling of Hyomei as far as possible. I am using it in my own family, and find that it gives the desired relief, so that I take pleasuee in spreading far and near the knowledge of the sure relief for catarrh."

L. Taggart, in preparation for the Catarrhal troubles of this season of the year, has ordered a large stock of Hyomei, and sells it under guarantee to refund the money if it does not relieve. The complete outfit costs but $1, and extra bottles can be obtained for 50 cents. Ask him to show the strong guarantee under which he sells it. This remarkable remedy medicates the air you breathe, soothing and healing the mucous membrane of the air passages, and making a complete cure of the worst case of catarrh.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

JACKSON.

The funeral of Appleton R. Jackson, Sr., formerly of the South Side, but of late years of Virginia, who died on Friday at Washington, D. C., was held Monday afternoon from the chapel at Wildwood cemetery. The remains arrived here in the morning, accompanied by three of the sons of the deceased. The services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Elliott C. Armstrong, of the Third Presbyterian church. The pall bearers were four sons of the deceased, Walter, Charles, John and A. R., of this city. Interment, which was private, was made in Wildwood.—Williamsport Bulletin. Deceased was father of Mr. Walter Jackson, well known here. Years ago Mr. Jackson resided at Beechwood and will be pleasantly remembered by many of our citizens.

Unctuous humor that is worthy of a Richard Carle, a comical countenance that rivals Frank Daniels, a pair of twisted legs that makes even Francis Wilson look to his laurels, and the ability to dance in George M. Cohen's class, is a quartette of attractive recommendations that has made diminutive Frank Deshon invaluable to Messrs. Nixon & Zimmerman. He is now appearing in the role of Billy Van Million in Willard Spenser's dainty comedy opera, "Miss Bob White," and his clever portrayal of the millionaire tramp is now a well known bit of comedy. It will be a source of great pleasure to know that he will next season be starred in a new opera to be launched by Messrs. Nixon & Ztmmerman, his present managers. At opera house, Emporium, Feb. 28th.

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AUDITORS REPORT

OF

EMPORIUM BOROUGH POOR DISTRICT FOR YEARS 1903-4.

JOHN W. KRINER, Poormaster, in account with Emporium Borough Poor Fund.

RECEIPTS.

From C. H. Jessop, Coll., 1901 tax,	$20 00
" " " " 1902 "	162 66
" C. W. Shaffer, " 1903 "	650 79
	$833 45

EXPENDITURES.

Balance due from last audit,	$101 05
Paid State Hospital, acc. insane patients,	309 69
Paid for relief of Mary Mundy,	120 00
Paid for relief of George Harrison,	20 15
Paid for relief of Jesse McFadden,	80 24
Paid for relief of Thomas Smith,	25 99
Paid Green & Shaffer, retainer 1902-3,	40 00
Paid I. K. Hockley, making out dup.,	5 00
Paid Cameron Co. Press, printing auditors report,	20 00
Paid Portage township, Potter county, acc. Jack Smith case,	52 20
Paid for relief of sundry paupers,	11 95
Paid with report to State Board of Charities,	5 00
Paid Emporium Independent, printing order books,	3 00
	$794 18
Balance in hands of J. W. Kriner,	$39 27

A. CHAPMAN, Poormaster, in account with Emporium Borough Poor Fund.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand from last audit,	$29 53
From C. H. Jessop, Coll., 1901 tax,	128 04
" " " " 1902 "	165 16
" C. W. Shaffer, " 1903 "	798 29
	$1,121 02

EXPENDITURES.

Paid for relief of Mrs. Detrick,	$206 00
Paid for relief of Lew Gifford,	124 90
Paid for relief of J. Hitchcock,	180 80
Paid for relief of M. F. Hanna,	217 34
Paid for relief of Sam Parker,	92 50
Paid for relief of Mrs. Segee,	148 64
Paid for relief of Mrs. Byers,	3 82
Paid for relief of Catherine Drum,	1 00
Paid for relief of sundry tramps,	7 36
Paid bal. Dan'l Stone funeral expenses,	40 65
Paid bal. A. Coldyrian funeral expenses,	30 00
Paid M. M. Larrabee for services,	4 50
	$1,057 51
Balance in hands of A. Chapman	$63 51

RECAPITULATION OF POORMASTERS' ACCOUNTS.

ASSETS.

Cash in hands of J. W. Kriner,	$39 27
Cash in hands of A. Chapman,	63 11
Due from C. H. Jessop, Coll., 1900 tax,	153 58
Due from C. H. Jessop, Coll., 1901 tax,	73 37
Due from C. H. Jessop, Coll., 1902 tax,	1 13
Due from C. W. Shaffer, Coll., 1903 tax,	91 20
	$122 06

LIABILITIES.

Due Ray Lyons, outstanding order No. 10, by Chapman,	$147 85
Due R. C. Dodson, outstanding order No. 12, by Chapman,	22 00
Due E. Independent, outstanding order No. 15, by Chapman,	20 00
Due Balcom & Lloyd, outstanding order No. 16, by Chapman,	26 90
	$216 75
Excess of Assets over Liabilities,	$205 31

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Borough of Emporium, do certify that we have examined, audited, adjusted and settled the accounts of J. W. Kriner and A. Chapman, Poormasters of the Borough of Emporium, and that the foregoing statements of same are true and correct.

Witness our hands this 30th day of December, 1904.

E. D. WHITE,
C. E. CRANDELL, } Auditors.
J. A. JOHNSTON.

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Mothers and Daughters

Every woman who has a grown daughter knows well the worry and anxiety which always comes at that period of life when girlhood merges into womanhood. Upon a girl's condition at this time depends her future health, strength and happiness. Too much care can not be taken to see that she passes through this period safely.

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is of the greatest assistance to nature in bringing about the change which takes place, without disarranging the natural functions of the system. It is a strengthening tonic. It will keep the roses in a girl's cheeks and prevent that tendency to decline which so often endangers her life at this critical point in development.

This Herb Tea is likewise of corresponding value and assistance to matrons and mothers at the end of this period. Its use will at this time prevent endless pain and worry. A woman will enter the evening of life with scarcely the knowledge that the change has occurred. Many are the thankful women who know the value of Aunt Dinah's Old Virginia Herb Tea and are grateful for the benefits derived from its use.

Kemmerer, Wyo., Nov. 29, 1902.
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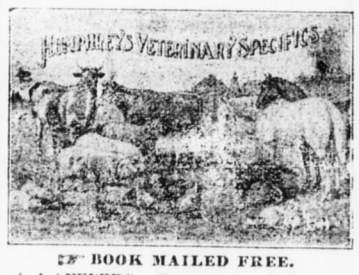

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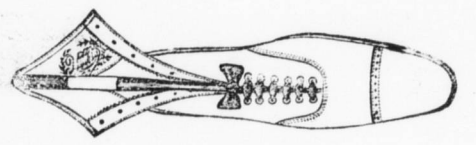

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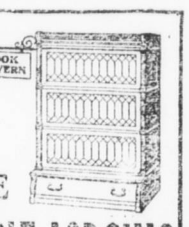

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